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LOCAL AND PERSONAL

Starting
This issue
ON TIPTOE.
A continued story.
Read all the numbers
As published for only 25c
Hand us the quarter today.
TRY ONE OF OUR BIG HAM-
BURGERS. OASIS CAFE.
Mrs. Gus Wiemers attended the
Lutheran picnic in Quihi Monday.
ENCHILADAS SERVED ALL
THE TIME AT BOBACAT CAFE, 21c.
SATURDAY ONLY—A SPECIAL
5-CENT HOT DOG AT THE OASIS
CAFE.
Dayton tires, the kind that please,
they save many accidents. C. R.
GAINES.
Miss Annie Schmidli of D'Hanis
was the guest of Miss Mildred Hues-
er Sunday.
Now is the time to buy your fish-
ing tackle at C. R. GAINES', the
Cutlery House.
Plackleg Vaccine—the white kind
good for LIFE. Buy it at WINDROW
DRUG STORE.
Alton Oeffinger of Yancey had his
tonsils removed on July 2nd at the
Medina Hospital.
FOR SALE—My place in Barku-
loo Addition. Make me an offer.
MRS. D. HUTER.
FOR SALE—100 head ewe sheep,
100 head lambs. Apply to R. M.
Chapman, Hondo.
Cooper Cattle Dip and Kresco Dip
in 5 gallon cans. Buy them at WIN-
DROW DRUG STORE.
Mr. and Mrs. Linus Tschirhart and
children enjoyed the day Sunday
fishing at Medina Lake.
Mrs. M. L. McDowell entered Medina
Hospital on July 5th for several
days medical treatment.
All the popular brands of bottled
beer, 10c per bottle. Also cold soft
drinks at the OASIS CAFE.
Miss Lucy Davis spent several days
the first of the week in San Antonio
with her sister, Miss Octavia Davis.
Salvador Dominguez, small son of
Joe Dominguez, had his tonsils re-
moved on July 6th at the Medina
Hospital.
Miss Adell Scott is recovering sat-
isfactorily at the Medina Hospital
from an appendectomy performed on
July 2nd.
FOR SALE—Two Hereford bulls,
one 4-year-old and the other 18
months. Apply to GUIDO RICHTER
on the ranch.
Globe combinations Worm Cap-
sules, Nema and Gizzard Worm Cap-
sules. Buy them at WINDROW
DRUG STORE.
Who has a small farm tract they
will trade for a \$2,000.00 cottage
home in San Antonio? Consult
Hondo Land Co.
The County Superintendent's office
will receive applications for
scholastic transfers, effective July 1,
1937. C. F. SCHWEERS.
Mr. and Mrs. L. A. Wiemers and
daughter returned to their home Fri-
day after spending several days with
kinfolks in Llano County.
Mrs. Frederick B. Kassel and son
of San Antonio, and Miss Dorothea
Kassel of Llano spent the week-end
with Mr. and Mrs. L. A. Wiemers.
Misses Eva Earnest and Mary
Kate Huesser of Hondo and Miss
Pauline Schmidli of D'Hanis visited
Bandera and Medina Lake Sunday.
Mrs. Julia Roberson spent Tues-
day with Mrs. Ellen Hancock in San
Antonio. Mrs. Hancock is quite ill
and friends here hope for her speedy
recovery.
Look, folks! Eggs going up! I am
now paying 18c for mixed eggs, 20c
for white infertiles. Bring me your
good eggs; I need them. Phone 138.
EARL WATSON.
Dr. and Mrs. H. J. Meyer and chil-
dren, Hugh and Mary Elizabeth, left
early Monday morning for Brady,
Texas, where they attended a three-
day celebration and race meet.
Miss Maggie Cameron and her
mother, Mrs. George Cameron, Miss
Mason Mosher and Miss Maude Cam-
eron spent the week-end with Mr.
and Mrs. Jeff Hurley in Carrizo
Springs.
Major and Mrs. E. V. Behan and
daughter, Jeanie, of New York, who
are guests of Mrs. Behan's parents,
Judge and Mrs. Ed de Montel, spent
the Fourth of July with friends in
Jourdanton.
Miss Viola Wiemers returned home
Saturday evening after a week's
pleasant visit with Miss Beatrice
Schleising in San Antonio. Miss
Viola is the daughter of Mr. and
Mrs. Otto Wiemers.
IS YOUR INSURANCE MAN,
ONE WHO LIVES AMONG YOU;
OR ONE JUST PASSING THRU?
For Every Form of Insurance
See O. H. MILLER, Hondo, Texas,
Since 1907.
Nick Haby of Rio Medina, Tues-
day, July 6, sold on the San Antonio
livestock market 23 grass steers to
the Mission Provision Company of
San Antonio at \$8.65 per hundred-
weight. The steers scaled 1073
pounds.
Dr. and Mrs. John Henry Meyer
returned Sunday from their bridal
trip to Dallas, McKinney and Corpus
Christi. They attended the Pan-
American Exposition in the former
city. They are making their home
in the Henry Crow apartments.

Miss Elvira Schweers has returned
from Minneapolis, Minn., where she
attended the National Luther League
Convention. She reports that Texas
delegates rated the "top", being vis-
ited by city newspaper reporters and
cameramen. After the convention
Miss Schweers joined a tour of Min-
nesota which took her to Duluth on
Lake Superior, to the Mesabi iron
range, to Itasca Lake where the
mighty Mississippi River begins, and
to Colonel Lindbergh's home. She
says Minnesota lives up to the tradi-
tion of the land of the sky blue
waters, there being some 10,000
lakes in the state.
Mr. and Mrs. M. J. Batot of Dal-
las, Texas, and Mrs. Batot's mother,
Mrs. A. J. Hutzler of Washington,
D. C., who has been their guest for
several weeks, spent the week-end
with Mr. Batot's parents, Mr. and
Mrs. Felix Batot, here and other re-
latives in San Antonio. Mrs. Hutzler
will leave next week for Washington,
where she will join her son and
daughter-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Albert
Hutzler, and their 7-month-old baby
son, Albert, Jr. Mr. Hutzler is em-
ployed by the European department
of the Federal Government.
Dr. Walter B. Meyer, who has
been an interne for the past year at
the Robert B. Green Memorial Hos-
pital in San Antonio, arrived home
last Thursday to begin his practice
of the medical profession here. Dr.
Meyer received his medical education
at Tulane University in New Orleans,
Louisiana. He has his office ad-
joining that of his father, Dr. H. J.
Meyer, and that of his brother, Dr.
John Henry Meyer.

Two Mexican children were
brought to local doctor's office here
Sunday for treatment for rattlesnake
bite. The young son of Pete Morales
of Hondo was bitten on the right
foot while at a baseball game at the
Fair Grounds Sunday afternoon. The
other victim is a 14-year-old Mexican
girl from near D'Hanis, who was bit-
ten on the left leg. Both patients
are recovering satisfactorily from
the effects of the bites.
Mr. and Mrs. L. F. Aten of Kinche-
lo Prairie went to Waxahachie yester-
day on a brief visit. They expect
to return by way of Round Rock
where on Sunday they will attend a
reunion of Williamson County old
settlers. Mr. Aten's father was one
of the pioneer settlers near Round
Rock and took an active part in the
earliest organization of Texas bee-
keepers.
Dr. and Mrs. O. B. Taylor and son,
Planton, left Saturday morning
for a several days' visit with Dr.
Taylor's brother, Mr. Monroe L.
Taylor, and Mrs. Taylor at Pyote, in
West Texas. They also visited the
Carlsbad Caverns at Carlsbad, New
Mexico, and attended a big rodeo at
both Carlsbad and at Pecos, Texas.
They returned home Tuesday night.
Mr. and Mrs. Milton Batot accom-
panied by Mrs. Sadie Hutzler, came
in from Dallas, Texas, Saturday to
spend the week-end with Mr. Batot's
parents, Mr. and Mrs. Felix Batot,
and to visit relatives and friends.
Mrs. Hutzler just recently returned
from an eight months' visit in Wash-
ington, D. C., Baltimore, and other
northern cities.
Mr. and Mrs. Volney Poon and
little daughter, Joan, spent Monday
and Tuesday in Tuleta as guests of
Mr. and Mrs. Ed. Connevey. They
were accompanied home by their
two sons, John Earl and Herbie, who
had been on an extended visit there,
and by Miss Anna Laura Welhausen,
who is the guest of her aunt, Mrs.
Earl Poon.
A. C. Clements is back in the Cafe
business, having on Monday last pur-
chased the interest of Mr. R. S.
Vaughan in the Oasis Cafe next to
the postoffice. The Cafe is now owned
by Messrs. Kollman & Clements.
Mr. Clements was formerly associat-
ed with Mr. Brucks in starting the
Plaza Bar.
Anthony Jungman went to San
Antonio the first of the week where
he enlisted for thirty days' training
in the Citizens Military Training
Corps at Camp Bullis. Anthony is
the son of County Clerk and Mrs. S.
A. Jungman. His friends wish him
a pleasant and a profitable stay in
camp.
Burleigh Smith returned Sunday
from Buda where he spent the week
with Jack Watson. He was accom-
panied to Buda the Sunday before by
his parents, Dr. and Mrs. W. H.
Smith, who went on to Austin where
they visited Melville Smith, a student
of the law school of Texas Universi-
ty.
The party composed of Mr. L. E.
Heath and his son, Mr. Wallace
Heath, and his son-in-law, Captain C.
D. Eddleman, arrived home Wednes-
day from their motor trip to Mexico
City and other interesting points.
They report a very interesting and
enjoyable trip.
Among others here last Friday for
the funeral of the late Mrs. J. W.
Miller were: Mr. and Mrs. W. H.
Moore, Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Dilworth,
Mrs. C. B. Brown, all of San An-
tonio, and Mr. and Mrs. Gwinn Mil-
ler of East Columbia, Texas.

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now paying 18c for mixed eggs, 20c
for white infertiles. Bring me your
good eggs; I need them. Phone 138.
EARL WATSON.
Mr. Arthur Jungman of Victoria
spent the week-end of the Fourth
here with his mother, Mrs. P. Jung-
man.

FINGER-WILSON.

A wedding of interest to a wide
circle of friends and one which
united two of Hondo's most popular
young people was that of Miss Thel-
ma Wilson and Mr. August C. Fin-
ger, which occurred at 6 o'clock
Tuesday afternoon, July 6, 1937, in
the rectory of St. Mary's church, San
Antonio. Rev. Father Kaler performed
the impressive double ring cere-
mony in the presence of the members
of the family and close friends.

The bride was given in marriage
by her brother, Mr. Homer Wilson.
Miss Mary Emma Finger, sister of
the groom, was maid of honor, and
Miss Charlotte Miller was the brides-
maid. Flower girls were little Misses
Joan Boon and Janie Rath. The
groom was attended by his cousin,
Mr. Lawrence Rothe of Boerne as
best man, and the bride's brother,
Mr. Joe Harvey Wilson, as grooms-
man.

A smart ensemble of crushed roses
crepe, made with a short jacket and
the collar and cuffs of the dress being
formed by applique white organdy,
was worn by the bride. Her hat was
a white felt poke bonnet and her ac-
cessories were white. She wore a
corsage of white gardenias and lilies
of the valley.

Miss Finger's frock was of printed
chiffon, Dubonnet and royal blue
flowers on a white background, with
which she wore a large white straw
hat and white accessories. Her cor-
sage was a printed crepe dress in shades
of green and yellow. Her flowers
were also gardenias and she wore a
large white felt hat and white acces-
sories. The flower girls were dressed
in similar frocks of net, Joan's
being pink net over blue taffeta and
Janie's was blue over pink and tied
with blue ribbons. Janie's was
blue over pink and tied with pink
ribbons. They wore pink flower ban-
deaux on their hair and carried Col-
onial bouquets of pink roses and
blue delphinium tied with pink rib-
bons.

Immediately after the ceremony,
Mr. and Mrs. Finger left on a brief
bridal trip to Monterrey, Mexico. On
their return they will make their
home in San Antonio, where the
groom is employed by the Uvalde
Rock Asphalt Company.

The bride is the second youngest
daughter of Mrs. Isaac Wilson and
the late Mr. Wilson. She graduated
from Hondo High School in 1932 and
attended Texas University for two
years. She is one of the most popu-
lar young ladies of Hondo. The
groom is a son of Mr. and Mrs. J. M.
Finger of Hondo and is well known
for his ability on the football and
baseball field. He graduated from
Hondo High School in 1933, later at-
tended Westmoreland College and
Draughton's Business College in San
Antonio. He has been employed in
San Antonio for the past several
years.

Those attending the wedding in
San Antonio were Mrs. Isaac Wilson,
Mr. and Mrs. Arnold Newsome, Mrs.
W. H. Case, Mrs. O. H. Miller, Mrs.
R. C. Rath, Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Fin-
ger, Mr. and Mrs. Volney Boon and
son, Herbie, Miss Frances Finger,
Mr. and Mrs. H. A. Finger, Miss
Rose Marie Finger, Miss Lucille
Boon, Miss Lucy Davis, all of Hondo;
Mr. and Mrs. George Gilliam and
Mrs. George McCall of Corpus Chris-
ti; Mrs. Joe Harvey Wilson of Har-
lingen; Miss Hetty Nester, Horace
Cox, Roy Schwepers and Jack Drott-
cox of San Antonio; Misses Jo Elen
and Mildred Clements, Faye
Howard, Mary Margaret McCaulay,
and Margaret Blackaller, all of Pear-
sall.

P. H. LYNCH RETIRED.

Mr. and Mrs. P. H. Lynch returned
to Hondo last week to make this
place their permanent home and are
occupying their cottage in the west
part of town, on the highway and
facing the railroad where Pat can
watch the trains go by.

Mr. Lynch began railroad ing in
1886, when a young man of just 20
years of age. Practically all of the
intervening fifty-one years have
been spent serving some railroad in
some capacity.

On March 29, 1904, he was placed
in charge of a section of the South-
ern Pacific out west. On September
1, 1911, he was transferred to the
Hondo Section, where he served as
section foreman for nearly twenty-
five years, being transferred to an-
other branch of the service in San
Antonio on May 1, 1936. Having
reached the age limit, the old veteran
was retired on a Company pension
on July 1, 1937. They promptly re-
turned to their home in Hondo where
Mrs. Lynch was reared to young
womanhood and where they spent so
many of the active years of their
lives.

If faithful service earns such a re-
ward, Pat Lynch deserves the pen-
sion his Company has granted him,
and all will wish him and his a peace-
ful and happy evening of life after
having borne the heat and burden
of a busy, active noonday.

"TWO WISE MAIDS."

Those unsung heroines of America,
the school teachers, are brought to
the screen in "Two Wise Maids," a
Republic comedy drama, at the Colo-
nial Theatre Monday and Tuesday.
Alison Skipworth and Polly Moran,
two veteran character actresses, head
the cast as the "two wise maids" who
valued character more highly than
scholarship and whose students ral-
lied to their support to prove they
were right. Others in the cast are
Hope Manning, Donald Cook, Jackie
Searl, Lila Lee, and Marcia Mac-
Jones.

MRS. J. W. MILLER BURIED.

Mrs. J. W. Miller, mention of
whose death was made in this paper
last week as having occurred in San
Antonio about nine o'clock on the
morning of Thursday, July 1, 1937,
was buried Friday afternoon, July
2nd. Rev. W. S. Highsmith, pastor
of the local Methodist church, con-
ducted the funeral services at the
Horger funeral chapel after which
burial was made in the family plot in
Ingleside cemetery. The active pall-
bearers were: H. R. Bailey, D. H.
Fly, J. G. Newton, O. E. Lacy, Bar-
nitz Carle, and Ed. Ney.

Mrs. Miller, whose maiden name
was Leila Gwinn, was born in New
Market, Alabama, on April 3, 1854,
and had reached the ripe old age of
83 years, two months and twenty-
eight days at the time of her demise.
She came with her family to Texas in
her girlhood, and at Leesville, Texas,
on March 25, 1873, was happily mar-
ried to Mr. J. W. Miller. This ven-
erable couple thus lived to pass the
64th anniversary of a happy married
life.

To their union were born eight
children. Two of these preceded
their mother in death. The six, who
with their aged father survive her,
are: Mrs. W. H. Moore, San Antonio;
Mrs. J. F. Dilworth, San Antonio;
Mrs. C. B. Brown, San Antonio; Mrs.
O. L. Cory, San Antonio; Gwinn Mil-
ler, West Columbia, Texas; and Jake
Miller of Miami, Florida. A number
of grandchildren also survive.

In their early married life Mr. and
Mrs. Miller resided in Guadalupe
County. They came to Hondo in the
early days of the town and were re-
sidents here for about 50 years where
they were active in the church and
social affairs of the town for many
years. Mrs. Miller had been a con-
sistent member of the Methodist
church from her early childhood, and
died sustained and comforted by that
faith that had been her strength and
comfort through the struggles and
trials of a long, active life. To him
who will miss her most, and the chil-
dren who can but mourn a mother
gone, the knowledge of their faith
and trust must be more comforting
than any words of condolence that
the wisest might utter.

ST. PAUL'S LUTHERAN CHURCH.

"The tongue is a little member and
boasteth great things." As the reins
guide the animals, as the ships are
guided by the helm, so the body is
controlled by the tongue. It is the in-
fluence on others, however, which
the eighth commandment has in mind
when it declares: "Thou shalt not
bear false witness against thy neigh-
bor." A vicious thing is a lying,
slandering tongue that has wrecked
and ruined more than one person. The
world is in need of a more charitable
attitude toward the acts and words
of our fellow-men. We find it very
plainly in the explanation to the
commandment: "We should fear and
love God and not belie, betray, back-
bite nor slander our neighbor; but
excuse him, speak well of him and
put the best construction on all he
does."

Services Sunday, July 11, German
at 10:00 A. M. Sunday school and
Bible Class at 9:00 A. M. The dele-
gate who represented the young peo-
ple at Minneapolis-St. Paul June 23-
27, Miss Elvira Schweers, will give
an interesting report of the great
youth convention at an informal ser-
vice on next Sunday night, July 11, at
8:00 P. M.

On Sunday, July 18, English ser-
vice at 10:00 A. M. Service at Sprott-
ville at 2:30 P. M.

LADIES' AID MEETS.

Mrs. Paul Reinhart and Mrs. An-
nie Haby were hostesses to the
Ladies' Aid Society of St. Paul's Lu-
theran Church Wednesday afternoon
at the home of the former in
D'Hanis. Miss Lena Reinhart assisted.

Rev. W. C. Leibfarth, the pastor,
made a short talk on the Federation
and after singing several patriotic
songs the meeting closed with prayer.
The flower committee was appoint-
ed as follows: Mrs. Felix Batot and
Mrs. Ben Graff.

Delicious refreshments of marsh-
mallow pudding, cake and cookies
were served to the following: Rev.
and Mrs. Leibfarth, Mesdames Robt.
Richter, Alice Reinhart, Ben Oefin-
ger, Geo. Bendele, Sr., Alfred Mech-
ler, Amanda Muenkink, Ernest
Wolf, Gertrude Saathoff, Alfred
Breiten, Felix Batot, Aug. Schroeder,
Wm. Mussmann, F. R. Grube, H. E.
Haass, Misses Alice Muenkink, Lena
Saathoff, and Fay Iris Carter.

The next meeting will be at the
home of Mrs. H. E. Haass.

ALL-STARS TO BATTLE FOR SECOND PLACE.

The Hondo-D'Hanis All-Stars will
play the Boerne baseball team in an
important game of the season this
Sunday, July 11, in D'Hanis. The
game is scheduled for 3 o'clock P. M.
The battle will be for second place
in the South Texas baseball league.
All local baseball fans are urged to
attend to boost for the All-Stars.

SECO WOMAN DEAD.

Utopia, Texas, July 5.—Mrs. Ada
Hicks, 46, wife of D. B. Hicks, ranch-
er of Seco, died Saturday, July 3rd.
Besides her husband she leaves one
daughter, Ruby Fae, and one son,
Leonard.

BOHMFALK REUNION.

The date of the Bohmfalk reunion
has been changed to Sunday, July
26th, at Wiemers' Grove, New Foun-
tain.

QUIHI NOTES.

And his sons Isaac and Ishmael
buried him in the cave of Machpelah.
Gen. 25:9.

In times of war they are put to
bed with a shovel by the hundreds,
often hurriedly and unceremoniously,
unknown and unwept. War, at best,
a relic of brutal barbarism, nullifies
the value of human life and deadens
the finer sensibilities, till they revive
again in the period of sober reflec-
tion and disillusionment. It's rather
different when death serves his sum-
mons in peace time. It often alarms
vast areas. It touches many to the
quick and things are dropped regard-
less of pressing needs, a common
feeling of sympathy is interlocking
and interweaving remote circles and
outposts. An "entente cordiale", an
invisible bond draws to the place of
mourning, and ever so often "in nar-
row room through numberless", and
have their "rendezvous with Death",
the awe-inspiring majesty, casting a
last glance at the beloved face, stedd-
ing a last tear, placing a flower, a
wreath, as a last salute and tribute
of respect and gratitude, on the cas-
ket—and uncounted memories float
through the heart and the gloomy
room. Mayhap the boys in our text
experienced similar sights and senti-
ments. But something else suggests
itself. Death often also is a great
leveler and moderator and mediator.
It changes turbulent seas into tran-
quil waters. A season of cross ques-
tions and crooked answers is apt to
change into "the feast of reason and
flow of soul". Family rifts and
contentions are mended, differences
and contentions are forgotten, and trem-
bling hands reach across the casket,
ready for reconciliation and peace
and hearts "above the pitch, out of
tune and off the hinges", for many
years, again are beating the march
of concord and honest understanding.
A reunion of joy amidst tears and
heartaches. A new start with God
and man after a long spell of home-
made and self-created anxieties and
miseries. And why not? Perhaps
death does not strike often enough?
Isaac and Ishmael had parted com-
pany, homes, ambitions and goals
long, long ago. Never a sign of
communication or friendly gesture of
any kind. Mothers had disagreed,
sons had disagreed. The mothers are
dead, the sons meet at the father's
coffin. Both mature men now. Both
wise to the world and its ways, and
both wise to the mission assigned to
each. Politically, socially, and
more so, religiously, there may be a
wide cleavage, but, as man to man,
let peace reign in their heart, sealed
and confirmed at the bier of their
dead father who meant well with
both.

Fine weather, a fine program and
a fine crowd, that might be the sum-
mary of our 4th of July celebration
on the 5th. Friend met friend, and
we all looked into the details of con-
ditions and causes for that Declara-
tion of Independence, in order to see
what it was all about and why there
is a just reason to repeat those cele-
brations annually in the true Ameri-
can attitude and spirit. The young-
sters had their full share of the af-
ternoon, whiling away the time and
exercising their leg muscles in the
various races. Sincere thanks are
due to the committee in charge, the
various volunteers for the cleaning
up and boht setting up the stage and
taking things down again, and also
to the various contributors to the
program.

Mr. John Lindenburg and his daugh-
ter, Mrs. F. Hartmann, are gathering
a few glimpses of the Centennial at
Dallas. Several others have that trip
on their summer program.

News has drifted in that Mr. and
Mrs. R. Thompson, the latter former-
ly Miss Ida Schulte, are enjoying the
arrival of a little newcomer. Con-
gratulations. The same source also
informed that John Schulte is con-
fined to the Sam Houston Base Hospital
for some time with the consequences
of too much sun exposure. We trust
the worst is over.

After a rather long seclusion, we
noticed Mrs. Luebbe Boehle again
out in the open and mingling with
the 4th of July crowd, though in a
somewhat enfeebled condition yet.
We are glad to know that she is fast
getting back to normalcy.

Announcement for July the 11th:
English service at 10; Sunday school
at 9; Luther League program at 8
P. M. And we hope to have you with
us at these occasions.

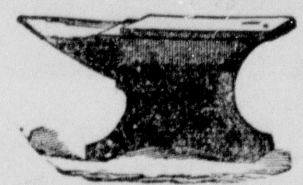
"GOOD OLD SOAK"

Wallace Berry has the title role in
"Good Old Soak", the M-G-M comedy
drama which shows at the Colonial
Theatre Wednesday and Thursday.
Ana Merkel and Ted Healy, Eric
Linden and Judith Barrett are in-
cluded in the supporting cast. Berry,
turned drunkard and loafer, becomes
embroiled in family troubles when he
is suspected by his wife of "lifting"
some of her valued stock shares,
which in reality were taken by a son.
The old soak redeems himself by tak-
ing the blame for everything and
eventually smoothing out the difficul-
ties.

METHODIST NOTES.

Preaching service 9:30 to 10:30 A.
M. The Sunday school classes as-
semble at 10:30 and dismiss at 11
o'clock. Come prepared to stay the
entire period. We had fine attend-
ance at the preaching service last
Sunday.

W. S. HIGHSMITH,
Pastor.



SPARKS

Being News, Views and Reviews

By the
MANAGING EDITOR.

OFFICIALS OVER ALL!

Two of the provisions of the law
now pending in Congress proposing
the establishment of seven additional
regional "electric authorities" of the
TVA order, should be known to every
citizen who has faith in our demo-
cratic system and in honorable
government.

The law provides that no person
may be appointed as director, admin-
istrator or member of one of the
authorities "unless he professes be-
lief in the wisdom and feasibility"
of the scheme. It provides further
that no private utility company,
whose business may be appropriated
by one of the authorities, may apply
for an injunction unless it puts up a
bond sufficient to pay all damages
suffered by the government or any
other interested party in the event
the case is decided against the utility.

As Paul Mallon, well known Wash-
ington columnist, points out, "By leg-
islative fiat it is proposed to com-
mand allegiance to the law and to
prevent suits against the law."

Thus method used widely in Russia,
Germany and other dictator-ridden
countries to command allegiance to
a dictator's will are openly proposed
in the United States! If this bill
passes, private property may be in-
fiscated or its value and income de-
preciated, and the owner will be
helpless. Officialism will become his
lord and master, politics his daily
bread.

TAX DODGERS AND ECONOMY DODGERS.

A legitimate campaign against tax
dodgers is something that nobody can
object to. The unusual part about the
present so-called campaign is, Why
was action delayed this long if of-
ficers of the government knew that
tax evasion has been a common
practice?

If there are loopholes in our tax
laws, surely the Treasury Department
could point them out and Congress
could correct the situation in short
order.

The public might be as much in-
terested in knowing which of our
public officials are responsible for
permitting tax evasion to continue in
the flagrant manner they claim, as it
is in the names of the tax evaders.

In the meantime, however, if those
who talk about saving pennies for the
government from tax evaders, would
spend a fraction of the energy and
economy measures, some worthwhile
results could be secured that might
save the people of this nation heavy
increases in taxes and provide less
incentive to tax dodging.

The private tax dodger and the
economy-dodging public official will
be in the same boat in public esteem
before long. The only difference be-
tween the two is that the tax dodger
may cost the hard-pressed taxpayer
pennies, while the official economy-
dodger costs him millions.—Indus-
trial News Review.

STOP THE FLEA HOPPERS.

Meetings of farmers are being held
in various Texas counties this month
to consider ways and means of stop-
ping what is said to be the worst in-
festation of flea hoppers in years.
The cotton flea hopper has become
in recent years one of the major
pests on cotton in Texas, ranking
with the cotton boll weevil and at
times actually doing more damage
than the boll weevil. In Dallas Coun-
ty, for example, the 1935 cotton crop
was cut more than 50 per cent by the
flea hopper, which literally strips the
cotton stalk. So the farmers are out
to stop the hoppers' depredations.
And apparently the best way of do-
ing that is through the use of a min-
eral which Texas produces in enor-
mous quantities: sulphur.

Research of State and Federal ag-
ricultural authorities has developed
the fact that finely ground sulphur
dust is one of the cheapest, safest,
and most effective insecticides for
controlling the flea hopper. Sulphur
ground so that at least 93 to 95 per
cent passes a 325-mesh screen is of
the proper degree of fineness. It may
be obtained commercially in the
conditioned and unconditioned forms.
Conditioned sulphur contains from
2 1/2 to 3 per cent of a light fluffy
material or conditioning agent to im-
prove its physical qualities for dust-
ing purposes; unconditioned sulphur
and pure sublimed sulphur give sat-
isfactory results when properly ap-
plied, but a good application may be
somewhat difficult to obtain unless
the dusting equipment is new or in
first-class operating condition. At
any rate, coarsely ground or lump
sulphur should never be used to con-
trol the flea hopper. Dusting should
be started when it becomes evident
that the cotton plants are not putting
on squares as ordinarily would be
expected. From 12 to 20 pounds per
acre should be used for each applica-
tion, the determining factors being
the size of the cotton, the severity of
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DEVINE NEWSLETS.

From The Devine News.

**BROOMCORN HARVEST IS NOW
ON HERE.**

Literally hundreds of farm hands
are now going early and late harvest-
ing a fair sized acreage of fairly good
broom-corn. In this section, which has
made a nation-wide reputation as a
broomcorn center. We heard of one
farmer this week, back towards Hon-
do City, who harvested 100 acres in
one day last week; employing all the
Mexican labor he could find. The
threshers are getting busy, and as
fast as the straw is dry enough it will
be thrashed, baled and offered on the
market. The market has not opened
up here and it is impossible to get
prices; but there seems to be an idea
that new straw will open around
\$100, the ton.

YANCEY.

Our revival meeting closed Sunday
night, attendance was fair all during
the week. Good crowd Sunday night.
Presiding Elder J. J. Mason was pres-
ent and held the third quarterly con-
ference.

Rev. Fuller and family accompan-
ied by Rev Sharp took a trip to La-
redo to see the country.

Mr. Mitt Bandy and family of San
Antonio and two daughters and Mrs.
Novia Blalock visited Mr. Jim Bandy
Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Rabke and son of
Fredericksburg, and Miss Flossie Ger-
des of San Antonio were week-end
visitors at the home of Mrs. Willie J.
Gerdes.

Miss Pauline Burk left last week
for Madison College Tennessee where
she will take nurse training.

Mesdames F. W. Bohmfalk and
Ward and daughters, Helen and
Edith, were Hondo visitors Monday.

Mrs. W. N. Saathoff and son Wm.,
Jr., were here last week.

We were sorry to hear of the acci-
dent, due to a collision, that happen-
ed to Mr. and Mrs. McCrea and Mrs.
Worley. We hear that they are im-
proving and hope they can return
home soon.

Miss Velma Faseler returned from
San Antonio after a week's visit with
relatives there.

Supt. A. L. Smith and family made
a trip to Corpus Christi last week-
end.

Prof. Smart is spending a few days
at home with his family after an ab-
sence of several weeks at Sabinal.
He is driving a new Willis and is en-
joying it with his family.

BIRY.

Mr. and Mrs. Sam Neal from San
Antonio spent the week-end with
Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Watson.

Frank Biry and Overton Schmidt
spent Monday in San Antonio on busi-
ness.

Mr. Dave Eirekson returned to his
home in Chicago after spending two
weeks here with Mr. and Mrs. Rud-
olph Posch. Mrs. Eirekson and chil-
dren will spend some time here.

Miss Alma Bader from Devine is
spending a few days here with her
parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ed Bader.

W. E. Love spent last week with
his sister, Mr. and Mrs. Elbert Du-
Bose.

Miss Inez Biry returned home after
spending the week with her cousins
Mr. and Mrs. Clinton Lumborg in San
Antonio.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Bader and
children returned home from a weeks
stay in New Mexico.

Miss Ethel Mae Eirekson returned
home after spending a week with her
aunts in San Antonio.

Harold Bilhartz from Brackenridge
is spending some time with his par-
ents Mr. and Mrs. Jack Bilhartz.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Schmidt and
Mrs. Jim Love, Jimmie and Bobbie
Jean and Patsy Ruth of San Antonio
spent Sunday evening with Mr. and
Mrs. Louis Biry.

Mr. and Mrs. George McCullough
and August Haass from San Antonio
spent the week-end with Mrs. Emma
Haass.

RADIO SINGER PLAYS IN FILM.

As a singer on the famous Shell
Company radio program the lovely
voice of Lois January is known
throughout the nation. She now is to
be seen as the charming romantic in-
terest for handsome but deadly John-
ny Mack Brown in "Bar Z Bad Men",
a rip-roaring picture of cattle rust-
ling, outlaws, deputies and cowmen,
now holding audiences gaping at the
Colonial Theatre.

She portrays the romantic role of
a young girl involved in a gang of
ruthless cattle rustlers. With the char-
acteristic courage of the heroines of
the Old West, she does her share in
bringing the guilty ones to justice.
She is supported by an impressive
cast, including Milt Morante, Ernie
Adams, Frank LaRue, Tom London
and Dick Curtis.

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ABOUT PEOPLE YOU KNOW.

From The Bandera New Era.

BIRTHDAY PARTY.

The Graff family entertained with
a barbecue dinner Sunday, honoring
Ben Graff's birthday at the Graff
ranch near Hondo. Swimming and
games were enjoyed throughout the
evening. Delicious barbecue and all
the trimmings were served to the fol-
lowing guests: Robt. Graff and fam-
ily, Morris Lutz and family, Harley
Eckhart and family, Mr. and Mrs.
Geo. Graff, Mr. and Mrs. Pichot, Mr.
and Mrs. Mussmann, Mr. and Mrs.
Aug. Spott, Mr. and Mrs. Arnold
Mussmann, Misses Eva Mae Pichot,
Adell Pichot, Kathryn Graff, Lorene
Eckhart, Melba Mussmann, Margaret
and Evelyn Mangold, Messrs. M. B.
Fadgett, Ernest Koehler, George
Graff and Rudy Spott.

ENTERTAIN WITH DINNER.

Mr. and Mrs. Gus Britsch enter-
tained with a dinner Sunday at their
ranch home. A most enjoyable time
was had by the following: Mr. and
Mrs. Henry Decker, Mr. and Mrs.
Herbert Decker and children Jerome
and Louise, Mr. and Mrs. Morris
Fohn and sons Joe and Charles, Misses
Rosa Britsch, Ann and Emma Niet-
enhofer, Mr. Ernest Nietenhofer,
Clinton and Gerald Britsch, grandsons
of Mr. and Mrs. Gus Britsch of Hon-
do; Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Britsch and
daughter, Gladys, and grandson
Richard Lynch, Mrs. Irene Byars and
daughter Ida Belle of Bandera.

ATTEND FAMILY REUNION.

Mr. and Mrs. B. G. Wiemers and
son Willie, Mr. and Mrs. Jno. Wie-
mers and children attended the
Schweers family reunion held at
Castroville on June 20. Between 500
and 600 descendants of the Schweers
family attended. A basket dinner was
served and every one reports a most
enjoyable day.

The Wiemers family provided
music for the old time square dance
at the Girl Scout Camp Saturday
night.

Mrs. Leroy Eckhart and daughter
Dorothy of Tarpley, were shopping
here Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Jake Saathoff and
daughters of Hondo, visited friends
here Tuesday.

A. C. Thalmann of Hondo was a
business visitor here Saturday.

Miss Louise Rugh was the guest of
Mr. and Mrs. Howard Short at Hondo
last week.

From The Uvalde Leader-News.

ACTIVITY IN NEW BATESVILLE FIELD PROMISED SOON.

Eleven permits for drilling in the
new Batesville field were issued last
week by the State Railroad Com-
mission, according to information in
this week's issue of "The Oil Week-
ly", published at Houston.

No information is given in the brief
item relative to the permits as to
whom they were issued or the prob-
able locations of the wells, but it is
believed that within the next 30 days
an unusual amount of activity will
have been started in the area.

This week, the Wilcox Oil & Gas
Company's No. 1 Tom Gilliam dis-
covery well was cemented and the
plug was to be drilled Thursday. The
well had remained in a state of in-
completion since it was brought in
several weeks ago, making an esti-
mated 4,000 to 5,000 barrels of oil
daily.

From the Brackett News-Mail.

Mr. and Mrs. Bilhartz and daugh-
ter, Thelma, and son, Aaron, and
Miss Marlene Wendland were week-

end guests at the Sauer Ranch. Mrs.
Bilhartz is a sister of Mrs. E. Sauer.

From the Val Verde County Herald.

Mr. and Mrs. O. Sauer of Brack-
ettville were in Del Rio on business
Tuesday.

Miss Ruth Bendele is in Eagle Pass,
spending several days visiting with
relatives.

MARTYN HONORED BY TELE- PHONE MEN.

That genial personality, Harry
Martyn, manager of the South-west-
ern Bell Telephone Co. in this dis-
trict, was signally honored recently
by being named as vice president of
the Telephone Pioneers of America
in a meeting at San Antonio. The
organization is composed of those
who have been employed by a tele-
phone company 20 years or more.

Martyn has a few years to his
credit, having been with the South-
western Bell Telephone Co. 29 years.
A majority of these years were spent
as manager in San Antonio, but some
two years ago he was named as dis-
trict manager and when the districts
were reorganized Uvalde was placed
in his territory. He maintains head-
quarters at New Braunfels.

In addition to his services with
the telephone company, Martyn also
has served as vice president of the
San Antonio Chamber of Commerce,
president of the Fiesta Association in
San Antonio in 1933, and has been
an active worker in any move for
the betterment of the community in

which he lives.

He has a host of friends through-
out this section who are always glad
to welcome him on his regular visits
to Uvalde. The position which he
occupies and the long years of ser-
vice with his company attest to his
ability both as an employee and an
official.—Uvalde Leader-News.

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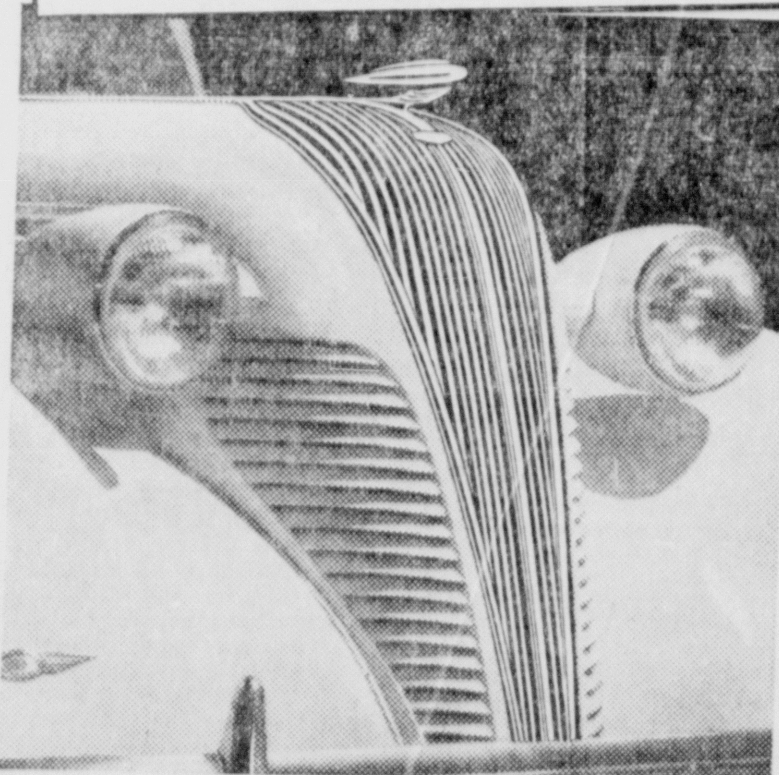


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LACOSTE LEDGERETTES

From The LaCoste Ledger.
SCHOOL CONSOLIDATION.

With members of the LaCoste School board and A. P. Parma present at a meeting of the school patrons at Pearson Friday night, the matter of consolidation of the Pearson and LaCoste school districts was carefully discussed and it was finally decided to submit the matter to a vote of the people of the districts to finally settle the matter.

In the meantime the LaCoste school board has arranged with Architect Palle of Hondo to have plans drawn for a new building that will consist of three class rooms and a large study hall. It is believed that with such a structure the LaCoste school will have ample housing facilities for the consolidated school and, in event of defeat of the consolidation, it is determined to submit the matter to a vote of the people of the district to determine whether or not the bonds of the district shall be issued for the purpose of erecting the structure. If consolidation carried the bond election will be held in the combined district.

Mr. and Mrs. O. P. Jungman, Mr. and Mrs. F. A. Bohl and Mr. and Mrs. Charles Halty enjoyed a two-day outing on Thursday and Friday of last week which took them up through the Medina Lake country to Bandera and around through Tarpley, Utopia and Sabinal before returning home. Leaving LaCoste early Thursday, they drove to Medina Lake by way of diversion dam and on to Bonnie Tschirhart's camp, about 12 miles above the dam.

Leaving the camp early Friday the tourists drove to Bandera where they enjoyed an hour greeting friends and most of all a visit to the Frontier Times Museum operated by that veteran newspaper man, J. Marvin Hunter. It is a real treat to go through the museum, according to Mr. Jungman, for one may see about everything used by the early settlers and something from faraway countries.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Monier and daughter, Jacqueline, from Dallas are here on a few days visit with relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. F. S. Shaw and Miss Dorothy Crow have returned from a visit to friends in Oklahoma.

Mrs. Sophie Jungman of Hondo was visiting with Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Jungman and family Tuesday.

SCHMIDT FAMILY IN ALL-DAY REUNION.

Zimmerman's Grove on the LaCoste-Castroville road was the scene of a jolly reunion of the Schmidt family on last Sunday, a gathering that was attended by hundreds of descendants of Martin Schmidt, pioneer resident of the LaCoste community. Throughout the day the relatives of this venerable early day settler mixed and mingled, renewing the associations of childhood days. This grand family tree has countless spreading branches and each one present at Sunday's gathering sought to learn more of the family ties.

In the original family there were 12 children, four boys and eight girls, each of whom was happily married and reared a family and it was most interesting to hear William Schmidt of San Antonio, family historian, when he submitted statistics regarding the family tree and its spreading branches. First the speaker extended a very cordial greeting to all present at this the third reunion of a family that now has more than 775 descendants.

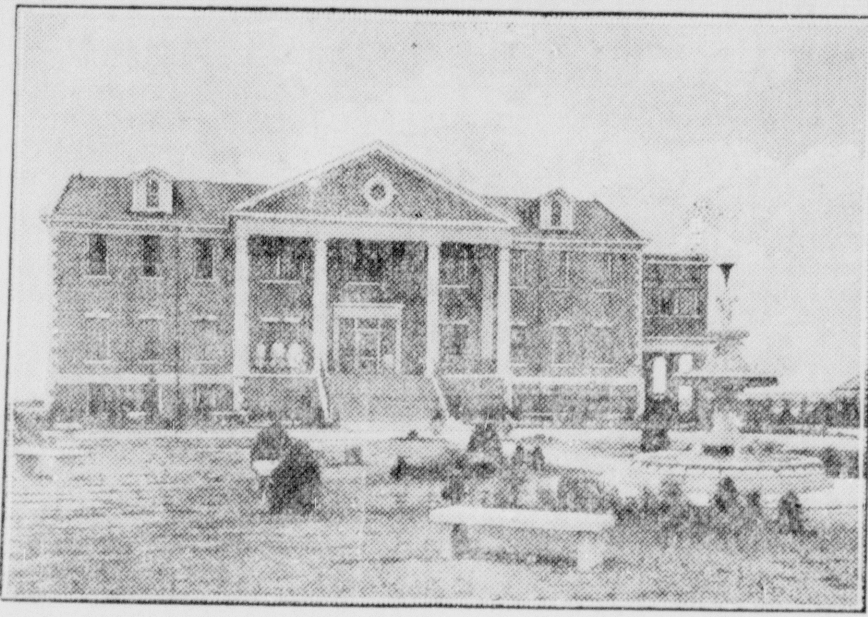
Martin Schmidt and Teresa Decker were born in Alsace Lorraine in 1818 and 1822 respectively and were married in 1842. One child, Emil Schmidt, was born in Germany and the second child was born under an oak tree in Galveston soon after disembarking from the ship that brought them across in search of that free country where opportunity was great. In time they found their way to the Castroville community, where they lived for a time before moving to what now is known as the Anton Bohl estate, occupied by F. A. Bohl and family near LaCoste. In addition to Emil, Peter, Louis and Joseph Schmidt, the marriages of the eight girls brought family ties that included Andrew Carle, Gus Zimmerman, Anton Bohl, Alois Itlis, Michael Franger, Jacob Biry, Emil Zimmerman and George Soltner.

It will prove interesting to give the totals of the living descendants of the original twelve children of the Martin Schmidt family as follows:

Mr. and Mrs. Emil Schmidt, none; Mr. and Mrs. Gus Zimmerman, 124; Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Carle, 106; Mr. and Mrs. Emil Zimmerman, 128; Mr. and Mrs. Louis Schmidt, 42; Mr. and Mrs. Peter Schmidt, 11; Mr. and Mrs. Anton Bohl, 27; Mr. and Mrs. Alois Itlis, 71; Mr. and Mrs. Michael Franger, 80; Mr. and Mrs. Jacob Biry, 35; Mr. and Mrs. George Soltner, 56; Mr. and Mrs. Joe Schmidt, 53.

Although he was the foundation for a very large family, Martin Schmidt died at the age of 50 years. He was buried at Castroville and his widow was buried beside him when she had passed away. If the Schmidt family was famous for long life, it was also was one family famous for large families and there was one family present at the third reunion, celebrated last Sunday, that equaled the original family in numbers. This was the family of Willie and Theresa Ehlinger, where there are twelve children the difference being that four of the number are girls and eight are boys. Mrs. Ehlinger is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Joe Schmidt of Devine, the youngest child of the original family. The Ehlinger children include William Joseph, Alexander, Annie, Hubert, Ferdinand, Arthur, Louis, Laura Mae, Marvin, Alda Rose, Marian and Melvin Ehlinger.

The Schmidt family is regarded as the largest family in either Bexar or Medina Counties. There remain seven uncles and aunts out of the original 24. These are Catherine Itlis, Theresa Zimmerman, Joe Schmidt



The administration building of the Woodmen Circle Home for Aged Members and Orphan Children in Sherman, Tex., which will be named "Dora Alexander Talley building," in special tribute to the society's national president, Mrs. Dora Alexander Talley.

Nine years ago this fall, in the city of Sherman, Texas, ground was broken for the first building of the Home for Aged Members and Orphan Children of the Supreme Forest Woodmen Circle. The official ground-breaking ceremony fell on the birthday of Mrs. Dora Alexander Talley, then national secretary of the society.

Today word is received from national headquarters in Omaha, Neb., that the board of directors has unanimously decided to name the administration building of the Home for the woman whose birthday was celebrated so uniquely in November, 1928—Mrs. Dora Alexander Talley.

Katie Schmidt, Jacob Biry and Emil Zimmerman.

Two of the grandchildren of Martin Schmidt have celebrated their golden wedding. George Schmidt, son of Joe Schmidt, is the only one carrying on the name of Schmidt. He has four boys. As a reward for being members of the largest family among the younger generations, the twelve children of Mr. and Mrs. Willie Ehlinger were each awarded a gold medal by F. J. Carle.

Dr. and Mrs. Archie Koontz were visitors in LaCoste Sunday.

Alfred Tschirhart from the Sauz was here Tuesday.

Joe Sauter of South San Antonio spent Saturday with Alex E. Jungman and family.

Messrs. Bernard Hutzler and Ervin Hitzfelder left Wednesday for Corpus, for a few days visit.

Mrs. C. J. Keller and Miss Evelyn Keller were San Antonio visitors Tuesday.

Miss Doris Bippert was in Castroville visiting Miss Gladys Geiger Monday.

Louis Pohl and son, Clark, from Castroville, were here on business Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Emil Elmendorf and babies from San Antonio were visitors here Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Jungman were San Antonio visitors Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Kauffman and daughter, Miss Marguerite, visited in Hondo Saturday.

Alfred and Leo Bohl of Devine were visitors in the A. E. Jungman home last Thursday.

H. W. Keller from the Sauz was a business visitor here Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Louis Mangold of Castroville was here on business Thursday.

Miss Lillian Keller is spending this

week with Miss Gladys Geiger at Castroville.

Mrs. Emil Mueller and children of San Antonio, visited relatives here Tuesday.

Frank Bader and son, Elmer, were here from Dunlay Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. F. W. Etter and daughters, Helen and Grace, returned from a weeks visit at Beeville, Skidmore and Corpus.

Phillip Scherrer and son, Martin, from the Sauz, were business visitors here Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Robt. Halty were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. James Biediger and family here Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Murphy of Rio Medina visited in LaCoste Monday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Edmund Keller.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Monier and daughter from Dallas, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Biediger, Mr. and Mrs. Daniel Biediger from Spindletop, Mrs. Clara Tondre and family, Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Tschirhart and family from Castroville, Maurice Rihn from San Antonio and Mr. and Mrs. Theodore Trip and family from Macdona, spent Tuesday evening with Julius Ahr and family here.

Mrs. Gus Mechler from Lytle was a Hondo and Castroville visitor Monday.

Misses Ruby Tschirhart and Fanny Applewhite and Clark Bohl of Castroville were visiting friends in LaCoste Saturday evening.

Mrs. Fred Koehler from Macdona spent Wednesday with her mother, Mrs. Helen Keller here, and was accompanied home by Malcolm Keller who will spend several days at Macdona.

Mr. and Mrs. S. A. Jungman and son, Anthony, of Hondo and Bernard Jungman spent a pleasant vacation in Corpus Christi the past week.

Mr. and Mrs. Adolph Mangold and

children from Medina Lake visited relatives here last Friday. They were accompanied home by Mrs. Lena Reicherzer and granddaughter, Mary Ellen McKaig, who will visit with them for some time.

Friends gathered at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Wanjura on Thursday night of last week to celebrate the birthday of Mrs. Walter Reicherzer, who has been staying at the home of her parents for several weeks while recuperating from a rather serious illness. She was reported feeling much better when the following friends called to spend the evening on her birthday: Mr. and Mrs. Richard Wanjura, Mrs. Oscar Hughes, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Schirmer.

Castroville Dept.

Mr. and Mrs. George Muennink from Hondo visited here Sunday.

Miss Gertrude Tschirhart spent the day Sunday with Miss Doris Mechler at the Sauz.

Joe Applewhite and Edgar Hans from San Antonio were visiting home-folks Sunday.

Mrs. Henry Ahr returned home Saturday after a few weeks visit at New Braunfels.

Mr. and Mrs. Leo Batot and daughter, Earline, of Hondo visited the Lieber home Sunday.

Lawrence Tschirhart who has been visiting with Mrs. Adella Koenig the past week, returned home Monday.

Mrs. Marguerite Haby and children of Dunlay and Doris Tschirhart from here were San Antonio visitors Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Richard Brieden and Mr. and Mrs. Oran Mann visited with Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Schott at Devine Thursday evening.

Miss Mary Eoyle and brother, Johnnie, from Bandera are visiting with their cousins for a few weeks.

Mr. and Mrs. Leo Zinsmeyer and daughters of LaCoste spent the day Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Paul Tschirhart and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Salzman and daughters from San Antonio stopped here enroute to Uvalde Sunday to spend the day there.

Albert Karm of here and Alvin Neuman of Hondo attended the state highway barbecue at Lytle Saturday night.

Joe Karm had his tonsils removed at the M. & S. Hospital Monday and is doing fine.

Mr. and Mrs. Pete Tschirhart of San Antonio were visitors here Sunday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Cornelius Mechler and Mrs. Otto Tondre were San Antonio visitors Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Bert Pope and daughter of San Antonio visited relatives here Sunday.

Mrs. George Noonan and children spent the afternoon Monday in the Albert Karm home.

Mr. and Mrs. Wilfred Tschirhart and son are visiting with relatives here for two weeks.

Little Leatrice Rose Hans returned from Devine after visiting with Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Schott for two weeks.

Mrs. Clinton Lehmberg and son from San Antonio were visiting in the Wm. Tschirhart home at the Sauz last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Hans and children and Mr. and Mrs. August Schott and children visited with Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Brieden Thursday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Cornelius Schott and son, Wilton, from above Rio Medina were visiting with Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Etter and son, Stanley, here Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Schott of Devine, Mr. and Mrs. Herman Ripps and Tommy Boyles and friend of San Antonio were visiting here Sunday.

RADIO STARS ARE FREE EXPOSITION ATTRACTION



Jack Benny and Mary Livingstone, premier radio entertainers of America by popular vote during the past three years, will be a free entertainment attraction at the Pan American Exposition in Dallas Saturday, Sunday and Monday, July 3, 4 and 5. They will be supported by a hundred radio musicians and artists. The show will be in the Cotton Bowl with 50,000 free seats available.

The marriage bans of Miss Minnie Haby of Dunlay and Arnold Wendland from Hondo were announced Sunday in the St. Louis Church.

Beverly Ann, the infant daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Richard Ahr of New Braunfels, was christened June 18 and the sponsors are Mrs. Alex Ott and Ellis Burell.

Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Tondre, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Rihn and Mr. L. M. Tondre were San Antonio visitors Sunday, to celebrate Mr. Leo Rihn's birthday.

Mr. and Mrs. John Fischer and family and Mr. and Mrs. Alex Tschirhart and family from Noonan spent the day with Mr. and Mrs. Sam Tschirhart and family Sunday.

Com. and Mrs. H. J. Bippert and son Milton and Miss Dorothy Rieber visited with Mrs. Bernard Bippert and Capt. and Mrs. Hayes at Natalia Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Wurzbach and daughter, Melba, from Cliff and Mr. and Mrs. Fred Wernette from Natalia were short visitors on the Bilhartz ranch at Biry Sunday.

Mrs. Alvina and R. J. Brieden visited in San Antonio Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. R. J. Brieden visited with Mr. and Mrs. Henry Vogel at D'Hanis Sunday.

Mesdames George Etter, Wm. Tschirhart, Hilda Franger and Miss Hattie Bippert were guests of Mrs. Bertha Bippert and Capt. and Mrs. Fred Hayes at Natalia Saturday.

L. M. Tondre, Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Tondre, Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Tondre and daughter, Rose Mary, attended the funeral of Miss Annie Meyer at San Antonio Wednesday.

Mrs. Jack Ray and brother Ferdinand Mechler of San Antonio visited the FitzSimon home Monday and Mrs. Jake Mechler who has been visiting here the past few days returned home with them.

Miss Frances Mechler who is staying with her uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. A. N. Mangold at Cliff, spent the day Sunday here.

Miss Ethel Tschirhart who has been employed at Uvalde, is staying home for a while.

Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Schott and sons enjoyed the day Sunday when they took a pleasure trip through San Antonio to Kerrville, Bandera, Medina City, Tarpley and all the neighboring cities and came back through Hondo.

Mrs. H. J. Bippert accompanied Miss Lillian Tschirhart to San Antonio Monday, where Miss Tschirhart caught the bus for San Marcos after a pleasant week-end with home-folks here. Mrs. Bippert attended the funeral of the late Mrs. Wiatrick.

FOR SALE.

Sixty acre farm with improvements, the Mrs. O. F. Neumann estate. For price and terms see, F. D. NEUMANN.



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SHORT ORDERS A SPECIALTY AT THE OASIS CAFE. tf
Bone Oil Fly Smear, Pine Tar Fly Smear, at FLY DRUG CO.
LIQUORS OF ALL KINDS. ROTHE CONFECTIONERY.

Herbert L. Hardt was a business caller at this office Wednesday.

L. J. Brucks, lawyer, is now located next to Real's Barber Shop. tf
Mrs. Will Crow left Monday for Corpus Christi where she is the guest of relatives.

Miss Annette Rothe spent several days last week with Miss Mary Emma Finger.

Edward J. Brucks, owner of the Community Printing Company of San Antonio, was in Hondo on business Tuesday.

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GONZALES INDIANS BEAT ALL STARS 6-5.

The Hondo-D'Hanis All-Stars lost a fast game to the Gonzales Indians in the Castroville diamond Sunday. The game was close and hotly contested. In the ninth, with two away and two on base, M. Koch parked one over the left field fence which was foul by inches. On the next pitch he flew out to deep left. Vackar and Midkiff hit triples for Gonzales and were the blows that sank the Hondo-D'Hanis boat. Hollmig doubled with one on for the locals for their only extra base hit. M. Koch handled 10 chances at short.

Gonzales	AB.	R.	H.
Newby, ss	5	2	2
DuBose, 2b	4	1	1
Schleske, lf	4	0	1
Midkiff, 1b	4	1	2
Mathews, 3b	4	0	0
Jackson, cf	4	0	0
Wilkinson, rf	4	0	2
Logan, c	4	2	1
Vackar, p	4	0	1

Totals	AB.	R.	H.
D'Hanis-Hondo	37	6	10
M. Koch, ss	4	2	0
T. Finger, lf	3	0	0
A. Finger, rf	3	1	2
Hollmig, 1b	4	0	1
A. Koch, 2b	4	1	1
J. Finger, 2b	4	0	0
E. Finger, cf	3	0	0
Vaughn, c	3	0	1
Rath, p	3	0	1
Sadler, p	3	0	0
*Barry	1	0	1

Totals 35 5 6
*Batted for E. Finger in ninth.
Two-base hit, Hollmig; three-base hits, Vackar, Midkiff; stolen bases, A. Finger, 2, A. Koch; base on balls, off Vackar 5; struck out, by Vackar 7, by Rath 1, by Sadler 5; hits and runs, off Rath 3 and 2 in 3; losing pitcher, Sadler.

CARD OF THANKS.

We hereby express our deep appreciation for the many acts of kindness and of sympathy shown us on the loss of our beloved husband and father, Garland Martin. We are especially grateful to the Hal Jones Post of the American Legion, the Masonic Lodges and the Order of the Eastern Star. We wish also to thank the officiating ministers for their words of consolation and our friends for their beautiful floral offerings. Your kindness will never be forgotten.

Yours in sorrow,
MRS. GARLAND MARTIN,
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The W. A. Hardt 158-acre farm, two miles north of Yancey and one mile west of Hondo-Yancey road. Eighty acres in cultivation and 78 in pasture. Small house and good well of water with hand pump. Will sell for \$20.00 per acre and on easy terms to right parties. For further particulars see the owner or either member of

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Mr. and Mrs. August Prohl of San Antonio spent the week-end with Mr. and Mrs. O. H. Miller.

DR. TAYLOR, DENTIST, OFFICE AT RESIDENCE (1 block E. of courthouse). PHONE 39.

Mrs. Walton Roland of San Antonio spent Sunday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. H. Hudspeth.

Alvin Leinweber of Vivian, La., is spending his vacation with his mother, Mrs. F. J. Leinweber, Sr.

Mrs. J. G. Barry and children returned last week from an extended visit with relatives in Smithville.

Miss Elizabeth Chambers of San Antonio spent the week-end here as the guest of Miss Earline Watson.

AMBULANCE SERVICE anywhere, DAY or NIGHT. John A. Forger, Funeral Director. Phone 75.

Mrs. Alice Reinhardt and Mrs. Clint Rothe were guests of Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Rothe in San Antonio on Tuesday.

In a business letter to the Anvil Herald, Mrs. Jacque Hutzler Brown of Luling sends greetings to all her old friends in Hondo.

Mr. and Mrs. Raleigh Moses, Mrs. Lucian Hicks and Miss Dorothy Hicks returned Monday from a several days visit to Waco and Dallas.

Mrs. Charlotte Miller is visiting her niece, Mrs. Clara Granau, in Bellville, Texas. She recently returned from a visit in Louisiana.

Gus C. Rothe was over from his Seco ranch yesterday. Mr. Rothe says a good rain would greatly benefit the ranges in his section.

Mrs. C. V. Brown of Los Angeles, Texas, is on an extended visit to her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Bader. Her daughter, Miss Gladys Brown, of San Antonio is also spending this week here.

Milton Bippert of San Antonio visited Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Batot Sunday, and was accompanied home by Miss Dorothy Marie Rieber who had spent the week with relatives here and at Upper Hondo.

We have a bargain proposition in two unimproved but well located residence lots in Hondo. Owner desires quick sale but will withdraw from market if not sold in thirty days. Ask either member of Hondo Land Co. 3t

Henry Haegelin was over from the Rio Medina section Tuesday and while here paid the printers an appreciated call. Mr. Haegelin says his section will make considerable corn although the hot winds cut some of it off prematurely.

Mr. and Mrs. George Gilliam and Mrs. George McCall of Corpus Christi were in San Antonio for the Finger-Wilson nuptials Tuesday. They were accompanied home by Mrs. K. C. Rath and little daughter, Janie, who will visit there for several days.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Kollman and daughter, Patsy Lou, and Mr. and Mrs. C. R. Gaines from here, and Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Wiede of Lockhart, went to Bayside Sunday where they spent the night, enjoying the cool gulf breezes. On Monday the party went to Gregory on the hug-the-coast highway to Lavaca. They report a very pleasant trip.

DR. M. S. DERANKOU, OPTOMETRIST, IS LEAVING FOR HIS VACATION AT CORPUS CHRISTI ON THE 18TH OF JULY. ANY OF HIS PATIENTS NEEDING ADJUSTMENT OF THEIR GLASSES OR RECHECKING OF THEIR EYES ARE INVITED TO SEE HIM BEFORE THE ABOVE DATE. THE DOCTOR WILL BE BACK ABOUT THE LAST OF AUGUST. 4tc.

COURTHOUSE NEWS.

MARRIAGE LICENSES.

June 30, 1937, to Raymond Oddis Magee and Mildred Katherine Graves.

July 2, 1937, to B. J. Pearce and Rena Mae Adams.

July 3, 1937, to August C. Finger and Thelma J. Wilson.

July 3, 1937, to Rey Urutia and Gregoria Garza.

NEW AUTO REGISTRATIONS.

The new car registrations since June 28, 1937, are as follows:

Passenger Cars.
June 29—A. L. Smart, Yancey, Willys.

June 30—Marley E. Nash, Sabinal, Ford.

July 1—Geo. A. Karm, Hondo, Ford.

July 1—F. D. Garrison, Hondo, Dodge.

Farm Trucks
July 3—F. L. McWilliams, Hondo, Studebaker.

Commercial Motor Vehicle.
July 1—L. M. Tondre & Son, Castroville, Dodge truck.

REAL ESTATE TRANSFERS.

Claude W. Gilliam et al, Trustees, to L. E. Kollman, Jr., and E. E. Kollman, warranty deed to 40 acres of land out of Survey No. 153, Silas Parker. Consideration \$1,000.

Frank A. Purrell and wife to Daniel Burrell and wife, warranty deed with Vendor's Lien to parts of Lots Nos. 3 and 4 in Block No. 4, in Range No. 7, in town of Castroville. Consideration \$1,000.00.

Daniel Burrell and wife to Frank A. Burrell and wife, warranty deed to Lots Nos. 7 and 8, in Block No. 6, in Range No. 4, in town of Castroville. Consideration \$500.00.

Louis A. Jungman and wife to Mrs. Mary Kate Russell, warranty deed to Lot No. 9, in Old City Block No. 28 and New City Block No. 53, in J. M. Bright's addition to town of Devine. \$10.00 and other valuable consideration.

Yancey National Farm Loan Association to W. A. Cude and wife, deed to two tracts of land: 114 acres and 30 acres, out of the Mitchell Lavit Survey No. 801. \$384.00 and other valuable consideration.

G. M. Harrison to S. R. Malone, warranty deed to East 5 acres of South 15 acres of Lot 11, Block 47, of Subdivision of Lands held by Trustees of San Antonio Suburban Irrigated Farms. \$10.00 and other consideration.

Medina Irrigated Farms, Inc., to M. E. DuBose, warranty deed to 20.56 acres out of Barth Taschler Original Survey No. 30. \$10.00 and other consideration.

P. K. Creswell and wife to Claude R. Fuquay, warranty deed to Lot No. 326, out of Seekatz's addition to Red Cove Subdivision of Survey No. 79½, State School Land. \$10.00 and other good and valuable consideration.

M. E. DuBose and wife to Medina Irrigated Farms, Inc., warranty deed to 20 acres out of Jac. Steinhart Original Survey No. 500. \$10.00 and other consideration.

WEATHER REPORT.

Hondo, Texas, for month of June, 1937.—Total rainfall 2.80 inches; since Jan. 1st, 12 inches. Temperature: maximum, 106 on 30th; lowest, 64 on 4th. Four rainy days, 15 clear, 14 part cloudy, 1 cloudy.

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"Cap" Harper, Jr., was down from Utopia to spend the Fourth. He and his father are ranching near Utopia.

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FOR SALE—710 acres land 3 miles north of S. P. Depot in Uvalde, Texas, on highway No. 4; 200 acres in farm, 510 acres grass land, \$21.50 per acre. E. H. BARBER, Uvalde, Texas. 3tc

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Consult the advertisements in this paper, then remember that no town is ever built up by trade that goes elsewhere, and patronize those who show their loyalty to their town by being loyal to its enterprises.

Mr. and Mrs. Elbert de Montel of St. Augustine, Florida, arrived the first of this week to join the family group at the home of his parents, Judge and Mrs. Ed de Montel. Already visitors in the home are Mrs. K. B. Schilling and daughter, Shirley, of Vicksburg, Miss., and Major and Mrs. E. V. Behan and daughter, Jeanie, of New York.

Intermittent showers have prevailed over this section for the past week, much to the alarm of both cotton farmers and broomcorn harvesters. A good rain followed by settled weather would be welcomed by all save those with broomcorn or feed on the ground, but alternate showers and blistering sunshine may do as much or more harm than good just now.

Dr. H. O. Von Rosenberg, V. D., of San Antonio was in Hondo Wednesday and Thursday, under the auspices of Windrow Drug Store and as a representative of Parke-Davis & Company. He visited several ranches and was interviewed by various stockmen on the use of cattle vaccines, dips, etc. Dr. Von Rosenberg, a graduate of A. & M. College, will be back in Hondo soon. Any one wishing to consult him may do so by inquiring at Windrow Drug Store.

Mrs. P. Jungman and Mrs. C. D. Sadler have collaborated in the writing of a musical composition, which has recently been copyrighted with the Library of Congress, copyright office of the United States of America, at Washington, D. C. The song is entitled, "When the Northern Plows in Texas", the lyric being written by Mrs. Jungman and the music by Mrs. Sadler. Mrs. Jungman is in correspondence with a Kansas City music company for details as regards to publication.

Arrangements have been made whereby the 1937 annual meeting of the Texas Beekeepers Association will be held in the City of Uvalde July 16 and 17. The Chamber of Commerce, the Uvalde Leader-News, and Agricultural Agent assure the beekeepers of a fine time and most comfortable place to hold the meetings. All beekeepers are invited and all Texas beekeepers are urged to be present and help start a new era in beekeeping in Texas. All women interested in bees or beekeepers are urged to be present at the organization meeting of a Texas chapter of the National Auxiliary. It is hoped that at least one hundred women will become charter members, according to ROY S. WEAVER, President; H. B. PARKS, Secretary.

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ALSO SHORT SUBJECT

WEDNESDAY-THURSDAY
July 14th-15th.

Wallace Beery
Una Merkel
Eric Linden in—

"Good Old Soak"

The laziest man in town . . . no good for anything . . . who proved himself a life-saver in the pinch!

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TUESDAY NIGHT ONLY ONE
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SAN ANTONIO LIVESTOCK.

(Federal-State Market News Service.)

San Antonio, Texas, July 5:—Supplies of cattle and calves were light Monday on the San Antonio livestock market because of the holiday and trading was generally active. Calves were firm and other classes sold about steady with last week's close. Medium and low grade cows were active, spot higher. Estimated receipts consisted of 300 cattle and 300 calves. The market closed at noon.

Good grass calves ranged from \$7.00 to \$7.50; medium kinds mostly \$6.00 to \$7.00 with plain kinds down to \$4.50, very few culls to \$4.00. Few plain yearlings cashed around \$5.00 to \$5.50; no steers offered early. Common to medium butcher cows brought \$4.00 to \$5.25, few fat cows \$5.50, while low cutters ranged down to \$3.00, including 4 loads at \$3.15. Few "shells" sold at \$2.75 and below. Plain and light bulls cashed at \$4.00 to \$4.50, odd head above. Few stocker calves brought \$5.00 to \$6.00.

Hogs, receipts 200 head. Market active, strong to 25c higher than late last week. Top \$11.50 to all interests, new high for year. Bulk of good to choice 175 to 300-lbs. sold mostly at \$11.50; 160 to 175-lbs. \$11.00 to \$11.50, few 140 to 160-lbs. \$10.00 to \$10.25, rough kinds below. Few pigs \$8.00 to \$8.50, some above.

No sheep or goats were offered early.

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GOLD SEAL CONGOLEUM RUGS. LEINWEBER'S.

Mr. Andrew Schuele underwent an appendix operation at the Medina Hospital on July 4th and at this time is reported on the road to recovery.

Florence Schneider, the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Armin Schneider of Rio Medina, had her tonsils removed on July 6th at the Medina Hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. R. W. Gaines and daughter, Jonell, left Sunday for Oklahoma where they are visiting Mr. E. M. Allen, Mrs. Gaines' brother.

Mr. and Mrs. Fritz J. Leinweber, Jr., are being congratulated on the birth of an 8-pound baby girl, Thursday, July 1, 1937, at the Medina Hospital. Mrs. Leinweber was formerly Miss Naomi Shoor.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Fusselman, Jr., announce the birth of a 6-pound baby girl on Saturday, July 3, 1937, at the Medina Hospital. Mrs. Fusselman will be remembered as formerly Miss Frankie Mae Cloudt.

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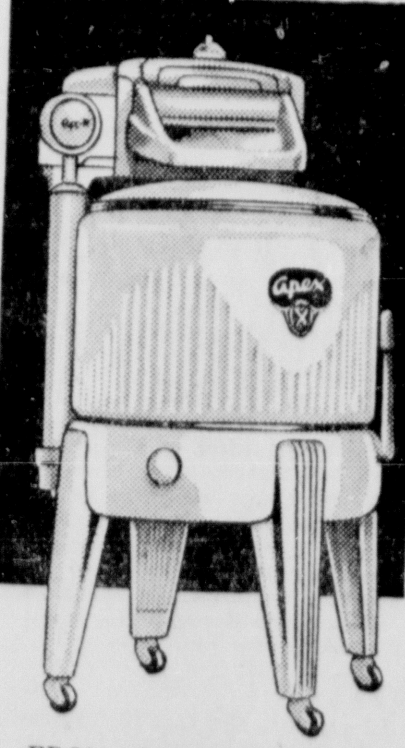
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TOWN COME TO THE PLAZA
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Mrs. F. G. Muennink is up and
about again after nursing a sprained
foot for the past two weeks.

Next Tuesday night, July 13, is
the regular meeting night of the
Hondo Chamber of Commerce.

Miss Bonnie Jack Cameron is
spending several days in Austin as
the guest of Miss Cecelia Braden.

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Alfred J. Haby from Reuters Cove,
near Mico, was a Hondo visitor Wed-
nesday and while here called at this
office and joined our corps of read-
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Report of Condition of

The Hondo National Bank

of Hondo, in the State of Texas.

AT THE CLOSE OF BUSINESS ON JUNE 30, 1937.

(Published in response to call made by Comptroller of Currency, under
Section 5211, U. S. Revised Statutes)

ASSETS

1. Loans and discounts	\$355,732.61
2. Overdrafts	697.99
3. United States Government obligations, direct and/or fully guaranteed	68,500.00
4. Other bonds, stocks, and securities	75,154.95
6. Banking house, \$3,033.03. Furniture and fixtures, \$1,480.07	4,513.10
7. Real estate owned other than banking house	2,869.37
8. Reserve with Federal Reserve bank	148,852.36
9. Cash, balances with other banks, and cash items in process of collection	118,141.77
13. Other assets	359.06

TOTAL ASSETS

\$774,821.21

LIABILITIES

14. Demand deposits of individuals, partnerships and corporations	\$615,460.89
16. State, county, and municipal deposits	89,120.47
Total of items 14 to 18 inclusive:	
(b) Not secured by pledge of loans and/or investments	\$704,581.36

(c) TOTAL DEPOSITS

\$704,581.36

28. Dividends declared but not yet payable and amounts set aside for dividends not declared	1,747.50
29. Other liabilities	4,708.37
30. Capital account:	

Class A. preferred stock, 215 shares,
par \$100.00 per share, retrievable at
\$100.00 per share

\$50,000.00

Common stock, 285 shares,
par \$100 per share

12,000.00

Surplus

783.98

Undivided profits—net

1,000.00

Preferred stock retirement fund

TOTAL CAPITAL ACCOUNT

63,783.98

TOTAL LIABILITIES

\$774,821.21

State of Texas, County of Medina, ss:

I, Chas. Finger, Cashier of the above-named bank, do solemnly
swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and
belief.

CHAS. FINGER, Cashier.

Sworn to and subscribed before me this 8th day of July, 1937.

(L. S.)

JO LEBOLD,

Notary Public.

CORRECT—ATTEST:

J. M. FINGER,

CLAUDE W. GILLIAM,

JOHN MUENNINK,

DIRECTORS.

Creating great interest and great-
er approval is the recent improve-
ment of the lane leading to the local
dump grounds. The unsightly debris
and trash have been removed or cov-
ered with dirt, and warnings have
been posted as to the penalty for
dumping trash, anywhere but in the
confines of the dump ground. The
improvements are the work of Coun-
ty Commissioner Alfred Bader and
his workers, and to them belongs the
words of appreciation and approval.

Judge and Mrs. H. E. Haass, Miss
Ada Bell Carter and Miss Irene
Haass returned last Thursday night
from an interesting motor trip that
took them to Santa Fe and Taos,
New Mexico, where they visited the
Indian villages, and also Elephant
Butte Dam and Frijole Canyon. They
also spent a night at Amarillo, Texas,
in the Texas Panhandle. Enroute
home they visited Mr. and Mrs. M. L.
Taylor at Pyote, Texas.

**DR. M. S. DERANKOU, OUR OP-
TOMETRIST, IS LEAVING FOR
HIS VACATION TO CORPUS
CHRISTI, THE 18TH OF JULY.
ANYONE IN NEED OF HIS SER-
VICE IS INVITED TO CALL ON
HIM BEFORE ABOVE DATE. HE
WILL BE BACK, WE UNDER-
STAND, ABOUT THE END OF
AUGUST.**

Miss Irene Haass returned to Cor-
pus Christi Monday after a ten days'
vacation with her parents, Judge and
Mrs. H. E. Haass.

Keep in mind that next Wednes-
day, July 14th, is Trades Day in
Hondo. Be on hand to share in the
premium gifts from Hondo mer-
chants.

Mr. and Mrs. George R. Carle left
Wednesday morning on a motor trip
which will take them on a tour of
Colorado. They will be gone a week
or ten days.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Harvey Wilson
and baby daughter arrived last week-
end from their home in Harlingen
for a visit to Mr. Wilson's mother,
Mrs. Isaac Wilson.

Rev. Seddik W. Girgis, a native
missionary from Egypt, and Rev. W.
J. Clements and family of Sabinal
were visitors in the home of Mr. and
Mrs. I. F. Aten Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. F. H. Schweers from
here and their son, Roy, of San An-
tonio visited Mr. and Mrs. Milton
Schweers and other relatives in
Houston over the Fourth of July.

Prof. Adolph Lutz was a caller at
this office yesterday. Mr. Lutz has
accepted his former position as teach-
er in the Latin-American department
of the Hondo schools for the next
term.

Miss Pauline Metzger, who is a
student nurse at the Herman Hospital
in Houston, spent several days last
week with relatives here. She was
accompanied back to Houston by
Miss Thelma Lynch, who was her
guest for several days.

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Mr. and Mrs. F. M. Davis and two
sons, F. M., Jr., and Rothe, arrived
Saturday afternoon from their home
in Paris, Texas, for a visit with their
parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. F. Rothe
and Mr. and Mrs. Fletcher Davis. Mr.
Davis returned to Paris Monday
night while Mrs. Davis and sons are
remaining for a longer visit here.

Mrs. T. B. Knopp and daughters,
Misses Evelyn and Margaret Ann,
spent Friday and Saturday in Stock-
dale as the guests of Mr. and Mrs.
Gilmer Brown. The Misses Knopp
played piano and violin solos at the
coronation of the queen of the first
annual watermelon festival at Stock-
dale Friday night.

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route to their home in Dallas after a
motor trip to Mexico City, spent
Friday and Saturday with relatives
here. They were accompanied to
Mexico by their sister, Miss Doris
Windrow, who remained in Laredo
for a visit.

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Mrs. Louis Grube and baby son,
Douglas Kent, returned home Friday
from the M. & S. Hospital in San
Antonio. Mrs. Grube has as her
guest her mother, Mrs. Will H.
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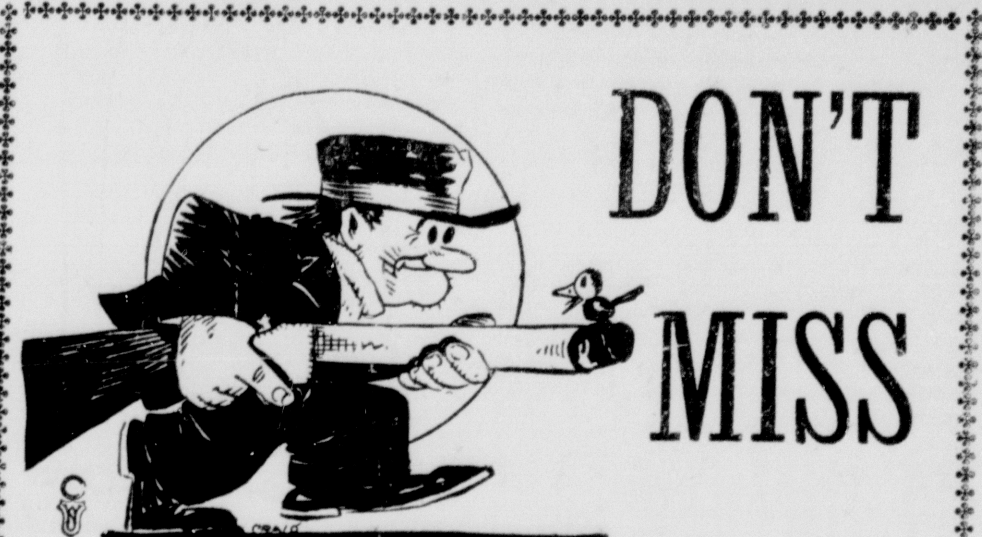
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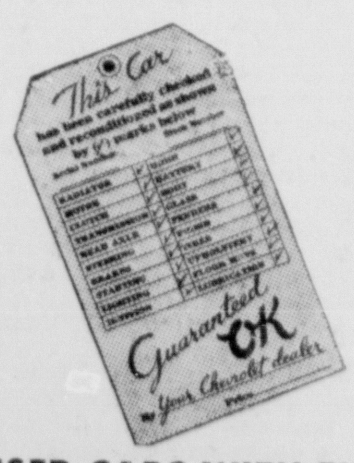
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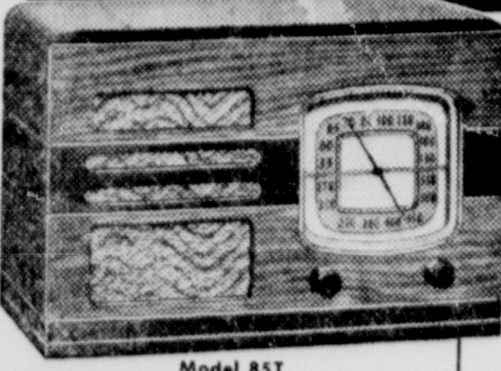
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MEDINA COUNTY CLUB GIRLS A'NT CA'LINE'S OBSERVASHUNS.

Helen Wiemers of Yancey wins first place in the County Bedroom Contest.

(By Nell L. Foley, County Home Demonstration Agent.)

Medina County club girls in eight communities have just completed making their bedrooms attractive and comfortable. These girls have demonstrated to their friends and neighbors how easy it is to make a room pleasant and livable by using pleasing colors, good arrangement, well finished floors and furniture.

Each of the eight bedroom demonstrators have done an outstanding piece of work. Lucille Pichot of the Seco 4-H club needed more natural light in her bedroom, so she had a window cut in the east wall of her bedroom. Now she has plenty of fresh air and sunshine. Erna Rose Hugel of the D'Hanis club needed a storage place for extra bedding and linens. Her mother had an old discarded folding bed which, Erna Rose remodeled into a very attractive and useful bureau.

While these eight bedroom demonstrators were refinishing their rooms, 120 other club girls were making similar improvements in their rooms. These girls have made tufted bedspreads, mattress, spring and pillow protectors, improved their bedroom walls and refinished numbers of pieces of furniture.

The story of how Helen Wiemers, Yancey 4-H club girl and county bedroom winner, improved her bedroom is unusually interesting:

"I had no clothes closet in my bedroom so I decided to build one. My closet is 4 1/2 feet wide and 28 inches deep. A shelf is built across the top for hats and flat things, and a rod was placed across the back of the closet for hanging clothes. I made a shoe rack out of scrap lumber and placed it in the bottom of the closet. A hat stand was made from heavy card board and finished with wall paper. Up above is room for quilts and extra bedding. The closet is papered inside with light blue paper. The closet doors are mirror doors which were formerly on an old wardrobe which had been discarded. The closet cost me \$8.00."

"The walls and ceilings needed repapering very badly. I put new canvas on the walls and papered the room in light blue paper. The canvas and paper cost \$8.00."

"Some of the screens had to be repaired and the frames made over. We had some screening on hand which I used to replace the old, then I painted the frames."

"My bed and dresser were quite old. The bed is an old cherry bed which was handmade about sixty years ago. We had not used the bed for almost ten years. It had several coats of old varnish on it, which I removed with lye water solution. When the varnish was soft, I scraped it off. Then I washed the wood good with vinegar to rid it of the lye and to harden the wood. After the varnish was removed, I stained the bed with a clear stain."

"The varnish on the dresser had turned very dark. I removed all the varnish with a solution of vinegar and soda, then washed it good with water and then re-stained it."

"I removed the old varnish from a small table, an old wash stand and two chairs and re-varnished them in light oak. The chairs needed bottoms, so I purchased two bottoms for thirty cents and put them in the chairs. The easy chair had one rocker broken so I got a piece of lumber, traced a rocker from the old one and cut it to fit the rocking chair."

"The table was not steady so I cut out small pieces of cloth and placed them in the balls and placed the rounds back in the balls. This made the table quite substantial."

"I made a hanging book shelf from some scrap lumber. I cut two pieces 17" x 6" x 3/8" for the sides and three pieces of 1" x 6" x 1/2" for the shelves. I put two coats of light oak varnish and one coat of clear varnish. I hung the book shelf above the table. The lumber for the shelves cost 45c."

"The first thing I did to the floor was to mop it good and remove all of the stains. Then I gave the floor a good soaking with linseed oil, then I varnished it good. I made two small throw rugs from burlap sacks, and fringed them on the edges. I padded them well with some old quilts. I dyed pieces of burlap sack in five colors and braided a rug out of them. The colors are different shades of brown and yellow."

"For my curtains I bought white scrim at nine cents a yard and made tie back curtains. The total was a dollar and thirty-five cents."

"The spring cover is made of four feed sacks. They are sewed together and put over the springs. I had these on hand which are valued at twenty cents. The mattress and pillow covers are made out of domestic. A piece is set in on all sides as wide as the thickness of the mattress. The pillow covers are made like a pillow slip, only not as long, and overcast at the end. The domestic for these was seventy-five cents."

I got unbleached material for the sheets and pillow slips because after several washings they will be bleached and will last longer. The material for this was one dollar and a quarter. I had the rest of the bed linens. All the scarfs were gifts. I made a candlewick bedspread. I used the colored chambray with white thread. The material, thread, and stamping were a dollar and eighty-five cents."

TRENCH SILO INFORMATION.

By E. R. Eudaly, Extension Dairyman.

Observation has shown that a great many farmers in figuring the desired width and depth of a trench silo are getting their silos too wide and deep for the size of their herds. The width and depth must be regulated according to the minimum number of livestock to be fed per day. If the silo is filled with chopped silage, at least a three inch slice should be cut off the end from top to bottom each day. If the silo is filled county agent, Mr. Rice decided to

By Emma Allen Bailey.



De boss 'low dah is two ways fuh tuh make wrecks out 'n de human body; one cums fum fas' drivin' an' one fum fas' livin'. So guess dat 'counts fuh all dese heah wrecks what Ah's bin readin' 'bout.

Ah jes didn't hab de minosity fuh tuh 'tend de Thanksgiving' suv'is dis yeah, kase ole Bruddah Winshiel's flowery donashuns am so bloomin' long dat Ah jes couldn't 'fowd fuh tuh set it out.

with bundles, at least a six inch slice should be cut off the end from top to bottom each day. If the farmer expects to feed only 5 head for a part of the time, the width and depth should be regulated for 5 head. When the farmer is feeding more than 5 head, a larger slice can be cut.

To figure the proper width and depth of the trench, multiply the minimum number of animals to be fed per day by the minimum amount of silage to be fed per day per animal. Cows will eat from 30 to 75 pounds per day, therefore we use the figure 30. Horses will eat from 20 to 35 pounds per day and so we use the figure 20. Sheep will eat from 5 to 8 pounds hence the figure 5 is used.

If the silo is filled with bundles, a cubic foot of silage will weigh from 25 to 35 pounds or an average of 30 pounds. The weight varies according to the kind of silage, the maturity, the amount of water used and the amount of packing. If the silo is filled with chopped silage, a cubic foot of the silage will weigh from 35 to 50 pounds, or an average of 42 1/2 pounds. In figuring the desired size of the trench use the average weight of a cubic foot of silage given above.

Example: Suppose the farmer expects to feed a minimum of 5 cows, 1 bull, 4 horses and 20 sheep:

5 cows x 30 lbs. equals 150 lbs. silage.

1 bull x 30 lbs. equals 30 lbs. silage.

4 horses x 20 lbs. equals 80 lbs. silage.

20 sheep x 5 lbs. equals 100 lbs. silage.

Total equals 360 lbs. silage.

If the trench is filled with bundles, a cubic foot of silage will weigh on an average 30 pounds. 360 divided by 30 equals 12 cubic feet of silage needed. If a six inch slice is to be cut, 12 divided by 1/2 equals 24 square feet. This means that the end from which the slice is cut should measure 24 square feet.

The width and depth should be regulated so that the average width times the depth would be 24 square feet. The walls of the trench should be sloping, therefore the width at the bottom might be 4 feet, the width at the top 6 feet and the depth 4-5 feet. If the trench is filled with chopped silage, a cubic foot of silage will weigh an average of 42 1/2 pounds; however, since it is necessary to cut off only a 3 or 5 inch slice instead of a 6 inch slice as indicated for bundles, the width and depth of the trench might be the same size for chopped silage as for bundle silage.

County Agent Cline E. Morris of Gaines County in his May report has the following to say about putting maize heads in a trench silo:

"Mr. D. F. Rice of the Fairview community saved approximately 10 tons of maize by putting it in a trench silo. At the time Mr. Rice was heading his maize the fall rains of 1936 set in and he had approximately 10 tons on the ground. The maize started sprouting and it looked to Mr. Rice as though he was going to lose it all. After consulting the dig a trench silo and bury the sprouted maize heads. Mr. Rice recently told the county agent that he had fed his cattle and several hogs out of this silo the past winter and that they did better on this head silage than any other feed he had ever fed. Mr. Rice states that it took him about two days to dig the trench silo and with the help of his neighbors the silo was filled in one day."

C. M. MERRITT, County Agricultural Agent, Medina County.

H. H. HEYEN'S ORCHARD.

Have H. H. Heyen take you to see his orchard and then you will know he works.

Yes, Heyen has an orchard and unless you have been around a great deal you never saw one finer nor more productive.

He has about 75 plum trees; about an equal number of peach trees and scattered about among them are pecans, walnuts, apricots, figs and a number of fancy fruits with which he is experimenting. Lest we forget, there is a dewberry patch in one corner of the orchard.

One observes upon entering the orchard that the ground is free of weeds and before the recent rains a dust mulch was preserved by shallow plowing, this conserving the moisture. Hence all the fruit is large and luscious, tho' not as fine as it would have been with earlier moisture, thinks Mr. Heyen.

Then one observes that the trunks of the trees—all of them—are clean and fresh looking. No dead bark remains on them, nor was there a dead limb or a broken limb on any of the trees of whatever variety.

Pruning had been such as to preserve the most regular and beautiful shape of the tree. A Storm Proof peach tree sends out strong, long limbs from the trunks at not more than two feet above ground but the soil had been worked under these trees as under those whose branches give more room above ground.

Mr. Heyen carries a pair of pruning shears with him when he goes to the orchard and uses them any time the tree needs the service.

There are mostly now two varieties of plums. The Bruce, the old standby of this section, and a large yellow plum deliciously sweet when fully ripened.

Then a plum, early ripening and now gone, is the Santa Clara sugar plum, dark of skin and deep red flesh. A few samples left on the trees impresses the eater that 'sugar' is right. They are indeed sweet and the trees will make fine yard ornaments, being large and of heavy foliage.

Mr. Heyen markets his plums with merchants and by the basket at his home on North Blanco Street in the McDowell addition. There are bushels and bushels of them even now.

Peaches are ripening also in great quantities and the saying that early peaches are not good does not apply to Heyen's orchard product. He will have varieties ripening all summer.

When you see that orchard you will know Heyen works. He couldn't hire such a job done. That orchard is a wonder—and right here in Lockhart.—Lockhart Post-Register.

ANSWERS TO OUR PUZZLE CORNER.

The following are the answers to our puzzle corner for the week of July 2nd:

Sign on fence—BIG CIRCUS COMING.

OBJECTS—Child, carriage, cake, container, cigar, collar, cravat, cuff, clothing, covering, clouds, cat, crease, curve, corner.

DOTS: Bear, Figgerhead—212.

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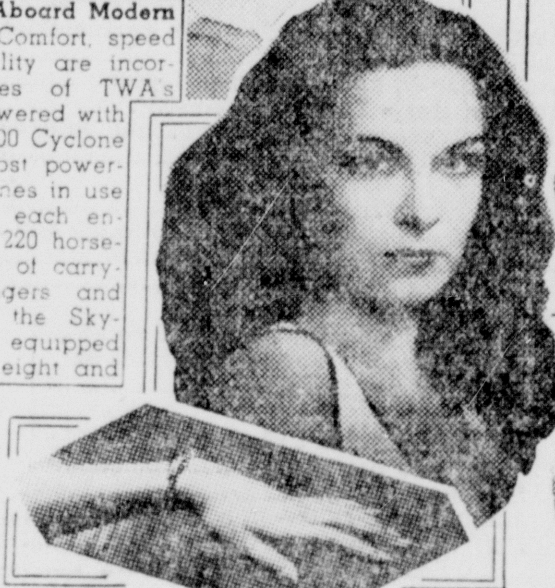
THE HERALD SNAPSHOTS



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Takes Cochrane's Place Behind Bat—George (Birdie) Tebbetts, the Detroit Tigers' 22-year-old recruit catcher who is showing up well in handling the Tigers' pitchers.



Mitigates Misfortune—Miss Jessie Simpson, Hackensack, N. J., who lost both legs falling under a train which brought her national prominence, has a six months contract to model for the Gruen Watch Co., and a promise as artists model as soon as she can walk with artificial legs. The "flawless beauty" of her hands as Hal Phytie noted photographer said, sets off the attraction of the Curvex Golden arc.



Capitol Shouter—With Gov. Richard W. Leche, Louisiana, Rep. Robert L. Mouton of the pelican state, who has challenged Rep. Otha D. Wearin of Iowa, to a hog calling contest sounds off with a "soo-do-e-e" during a practice session.



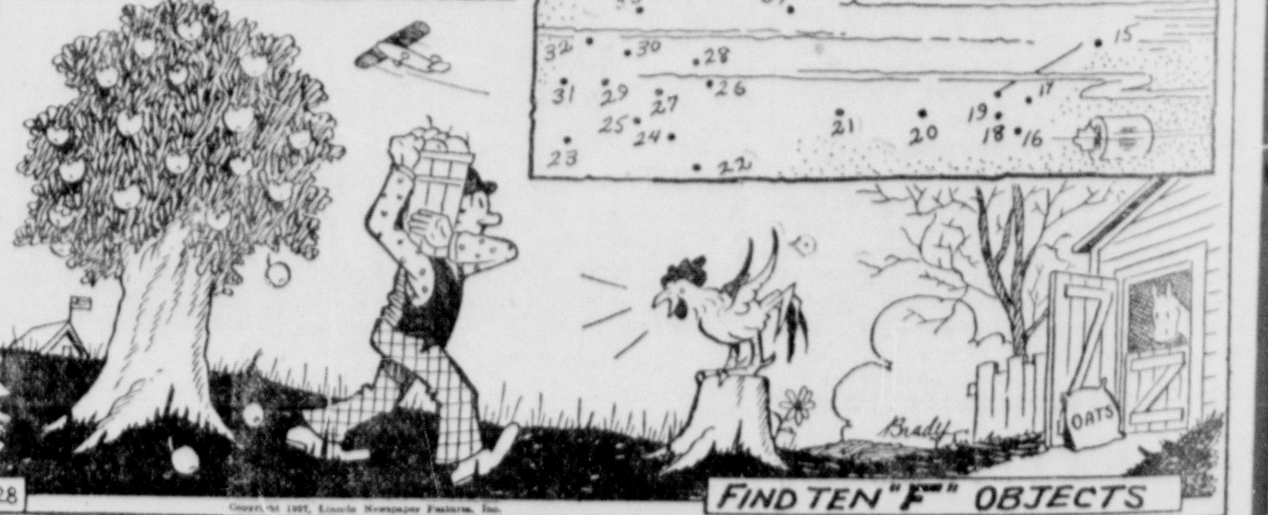
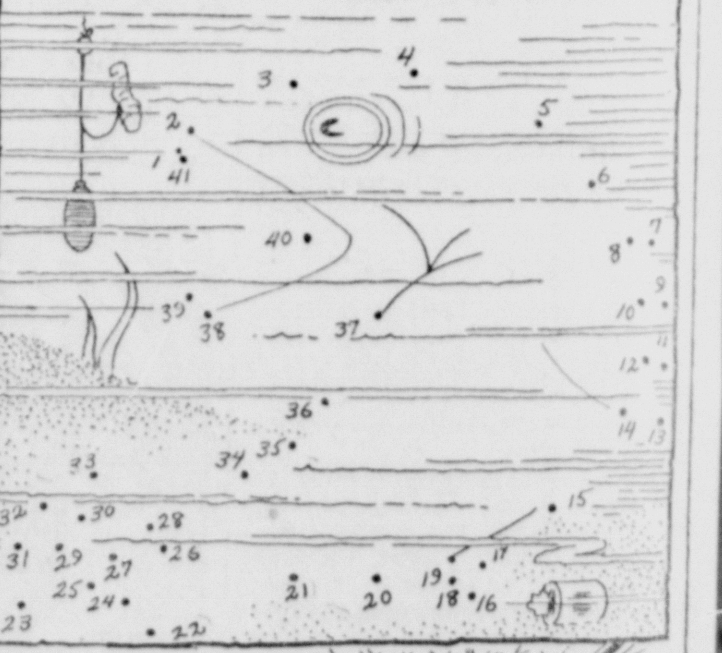
Fred Allen and Portland Hoffa welcome Walter O'Keefe (right) to their studio. When they leave on their summer vacation, O'Keefe will take charge of things on their "Town Hall Tonight" broadcasts over NBC Wednesday evenings. He promises them he'll try to keep things moving at a merry pace with his bright wit.

OUR PUZZLE CORNER

HOW MANY WORDS CAN YOU GET OUT OF THE WORD SPEEDWAY?



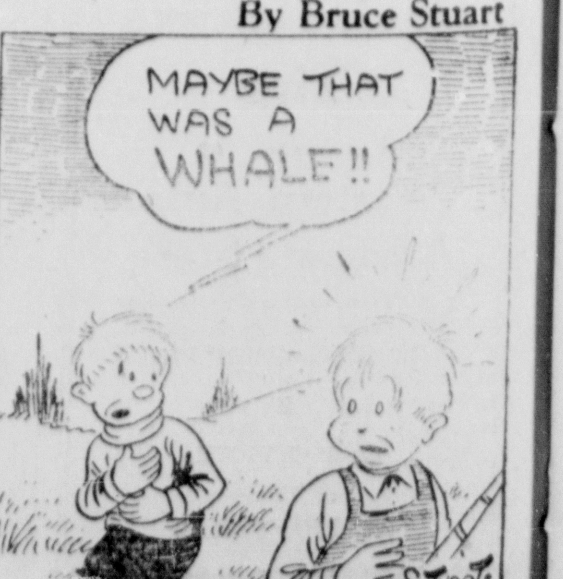
DRAW A LINE FROM 1 TO 41 AND THEN DRAW HIM IN!



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By Bruce Stuart

BLASTS HALT STEEL PLANT

Delay Thousands in Return to Jobs . . . President May Act in Labor Dispute . . . Fascists Quit Spanish Patrol



Riots continued as steel plants attempted reopening.

Edward W. Pickard
SUMMARIZES THE WORLD'S WEEK
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No Water, No Steel, No Jobs

DYNAMITE temporarily stopped a back-to-work movement in the great Cambria Works of the Bethlehem Steel corporation at Johnstown, Pa., scene of the most violent altercations among strikers, loyal workers and the law in recent days. Two explosions crippled the principal water mains supplying the plant just as Cambria once more had thrown open its doors and nearly half its 15,000 employees had filed through Steel Workers' Organizing Committee picket lines to resume their labors. It took several days to repair the damage sufficiently to allow part of the workers to return.

The blasts interrupted what had been the nearest semblance of peace—still not very near—since the C. I. O. affiliate called the strike on the big steel independents who refused to sign contracts with what they dubbed "John L. Lewis' irresponsible organization." The strikers committee "deplored" the explosions and "hoped no strikers had caused them."

Two hundred state troopers, part of the state force which had enforced the martial law declared for a few days and then lifted by Gov. George H. Earle, patrolled the Johnstown district in an attempt to apprehend the dynamiters and protect the water supply of the city itself from damage. Mayor Daniel J. Shields appealed to President Roosevelt again, declaring in a telegram that the majority of his citizens were opposed to the C. I. O. violence and, if provoked much more by the minority, "might take the law into their own hands," adding to the toll of deaths, injuries and destruction that already had been rolled up. He said the strikers were openly declaring that they had the support of the President.

As the plants re-opened before the blasts it had seemed that the real grip of the strike had been broken, although there were still some 250 pickets on hand. The day before the re-opening, the C. I. O., in a last-minute attempt to save its cause, promised a mass meeting, near the city, of 50,000 miners who would then aid the steel strikers in keeping the plants closed. Only about 1,500 showed up, and after listening to speeches by union leaders they dispersed peaceably.

F.D.R. Waxes Impatient

IT WAS believed that the pressure of public opinion in the steel strikes had driven President Roosevelt close to supporting federal legislation similar to that of the amendments proposed by Sen. Arthur H. Vandenberg of Michigan for the national labor relations act. The Presidential indicated at a press conference that he was as much put out at the C. I. O. for forcing organization upon the steel workers as he was with the corporations for refusing to negotiate in terms of a signed contract.

After a talk with Charles P. Taft, who had been chairman of the mediation board that failed to effect a settlement, the President said: "Mr. Taft and I talked over the whole steel situation and came to the conclusion that the nation as a whole, in thinking of the strikes, was saying just one thing—a plague on both your houses."

Senator Vandenberg's proposed amendments were designed to broaden the rights of employers under the Wagner act, forbid "sit-

down" strikes and other "unfair" union practices, and provide severe penalties for unions which violated contracts with employers. His amendments:

1.—To give employers the same right which only employees now enjoy to appeal to the national labor relations board for an election to determine the representatives of employees.

2.—To require agreements in writing and to permit strikes only after a majority vote of all employees. Any group which broke its contract and did not repair the break after being ordered to do so by the board would be suspended from representation.

3.—Establish a code of practices for labor. This would:

Prohibit compulsory political assessments on union members.

Require that all union officers, agents and representatives be United States citizens.

Forbid union organization by coercion.

Prohibit damage to property, strikes intended to force any person to violate a contract or federal laws, and violations of "any person's rights in real or personal property."

Der Fuehrer Scores Neutrals

"FROM now on," Adolf Hitler told 200,000 Nazis at a party rally in Wurzburg, "we will prefer . . . to take the freedom, independence, honor and security of our nation into our own hands and protect ourselves alone." Disgusted, Germany withdrew from the non-intervention patrol of Spain, as Italy did likewise. Der Fuehrer warned that the Nazis would take independent action to protect themselves from attacks by the Spanish government. He described how Germany had been condemned for shelling Almeria after a Spanish airplane had bombed the cruiser Deutschland, and how, when the cruiser Leipzig was attacked by a submarine while on patrol duty, the non-intervention committee had done nothing about it.

A remedy suggested by Great Britain and France was that the patrol duty be left entirely to them, with Italian observers on French patrol ships and German observers on British ships to "judge the equitable, impartial working of the system."

Germany and Italy lost little time in refusing to accept the proposal. Sir Neville Chamberlain called the British cabinet in to see what might be done, but it was generally believed that if the Fascists continued in their policy of refusing to co-operate with the non-intervention patrol, Great Britain would scrap her entire neutrality policy. She might extend the right of belligerents to Gen. Francisco Franco and his insurgents, thus for the first time recognizing that a state of war exists in Spain. This would be regarded as a bit of sugar for the Fascist nations, who recognize the insurgent government as the government of Spain.

Montagues and Capulets

WITH all the family blessings save those of a political classification, Miss Ethel du Pont, daughter of Eugene du Pont, and Franklin Delano Roosevelt, Jr., son of the President of the United States, were married at Christ church near Wilmington, Del., in a "simple" wedding attended by a "handful" of about 400 picked guests. Bitter political hatreds were buried temporarily.

Mediation Board Gives Up

THE mediation board of three, named by Secretary of Labor Perkins to sit in Cleveland and attempt to negotiate a settlement in the steel strike, gave up in despair. Its chairman, Charles P. Taft of Cincinnati, and the other two members, Lloyd Garrison, former president of the national labor relations board, and Edward F. McGrady, trouble-shooting assistant of Mme. Perkins, were unable even to persuade Tom Girdler, Eugene Grace and other steel officials to sit around a conference table at which union leaders were present. The board explained its failure, "The only hope of settlement lies in such a meeting."

In criticizing the companies for their stand the board said, "Nothing can be made clearer today than that management and organized labor, when it really represents the wishes of the men, have got to learn how to live together, to reach agreements and to abide by them when made."

Steel officials handed Taft a written resume of their stand, that they would not make any agreement with Lewis' "irresponsible" C. I. O. They admitted that the Wagner act might force them to negotiate with the union, but declared another law provides that no one need make a contract he doesn't want to make.

Budget Trouble, U. S.

TREASURY figures indicated that the end of the fiscal year would find the President's economy program missing its mark by about \$200,000,000. Last April he warned all departments that expenditures would have to be drastically cut, and revised his budget to \$295,000,000 less than the forecast in January. His revised budget estimated that expenditures from July 1, 1936, to June 24, 1937, would be \$7,781,000,000; actually they turned out to be \$7,863,000,000, or \$102,000,000 above the estimate. It was believed that, at that rate, there would be a difference of about \$200,000,000 in the budget and actual spending for the entire fiscal year.

Budget Trouble, French

BUDGET trouble is bothering France in a serious way; in fact it led to the resignation of Premier Leon Blum and his People's Front government, to be succeeded by Camille Chautemps. One of Chautemps' first acts was to appoint Georges Bonnet, ambassador to the United States, as minister of finance, with orders to begin attempts to balance the budget.

Bonnet's first moves were to close the stock exchange and suspend foreign exchange and commercial payments pending a decision on whether or not he would be made an economic dictator temporarily.

Because the senate refused him this power, Blum and his cabinet resigned; the chamber of deputies twice had approved giving it to him. The senate finance committee approved virtually the same thing for Chautemps, 20 to 3, ten days after he had become premier. It would authorize the new government to promulgate decrees "tending to assure suppression of attacks on government credit, fight against speculation, promote economic recovery, control prices and balance the budget."

France, like the United States, operates on two budgets—ordinary and extraordinary. France's deficit in her ordinary budget, as estimated by retiring Finance Minister Vincent Auriol, is about \$200,000,000, and the deficit in her extraordinary budget approximately \$1,600,000,000. Rene Brunet, Bonnet's under-secretary, said they could be balanced in three years.

Most of the expenditures for the extraordinary budget are for defense.

Pen for Jersey's Parkers

WHEN Paul H. Wendel, former Trenton, N. J., lawyer, "confessed" to the Lindbergh baby kidnapping, the execution of Bruno Richard Hauptmann was delayed three days. Now Ellis Parker, sixty-five, chief of the Burlington county detectives, and his son, Ellis, Jr., twenty-six, have been sentenced to serve six and three years, respectively, in the federal penitentiary by Federal Judge William Clark in Newark. They were convicted of conspiring to seize and torture Wendel to extract from him the false confession. Their attorneys announced an appeal would be filed with the United States Circuit Court of Appeals.

Rebels Again Eye Madrid

HAVING taken Bilbao after months of siege, Gen. Francisco Franco, rebel commander, turned his guns once more upon Madrid and the sector north of Guadalajara. New troops were moved into the sections about the western and south-eastern limits of the city.

The loyalist government set out at once to strengthen its own lines, although it was not believed Madrid was in much danger of attack before the insurgents have "cleaned up" the northern provinces. Since the capture of Bilbao the Basque and Asturian forces have been virtually isolated from those of the Madrid-Valencia government.

On Tiptoe

By
Stewart Edward White

There is an idea in this story worthy of the fine imagination of Jules Verne; and since Verne's dreams—regarded as outrageously fanciful in his day—have been mostly translated into facts by modern science, who can say that Mr. White's idea—revolutionary as it may seem now—may not one day be a fact, as commonplace as radio and navigation of the air?

The great bulk of the American public is familiar with the rare charm of the writings of Stewart Edward White. He is one novelist who never disappoints. Whether his scenes be laid in the African jungle, the north woods or the mountains of the West they will be absolutely true to locality; the characters will be true and the plot of the tale is sure to be unique, oftentimes thrilling and always keenly interesting.

This is an outdoors story, a type of narrative in which this writer excels. It is a sprightly, humorous romance of the redwood forests, into which the author has introduced one tremendously big and serious situation. It deals with the predicament of an inventor who accidentally has stumbled onto one of the most jealously guarded secrets of nature. While undecided as to what course to pursue in relation to his discovery, he yields to blandishments and intrigue and permits the secret to pass into the keeping of another party.

The discovery may be of vast benefit to mankind, but there is an equal chance that it may be disastrous; it may wreck the world. What to do in such a situation! Mr. White is one of the few novelists capable of working out the solution to such a problem. It is for you to judge whether or not he has done it.

CHAPTER I

This is a swashbuckling story of pirate days. It has as leading characters the Buccaneer and his sinister Second in Command; the Fair Damsel in Distress; the Bright-Shining Hero; and those great intelligences by whose caprice—or by whose ordered Law—our tiny world carries on among its millions of sister worlds. Follow and you shall see brave adventuring, and dastardly plots; and a fool exalted and cast down as his little affairs were swept into the mighty on-ward-flowing currents of Fate. So up anchor and away!

At the moment our story opens the Pirate, who was appropriately named Grimstead, was leaning back in the stern-sheets of his craft smoking a cheroot and listening to the low-voiced conversation of his Second in Command. He was a large, square built, almost elderly man, with thick bushy eyebrows jutting over his eyes sternly like a pair of particularly heavy mustaches. Gardiner, the Second, was much younger and slenderer, dark in complexion, with clean shaven face and an inscrutable eye. Neither of these men were paying the slightest attention to anything but each other. They left that to the man at the wheel. Indeed, the man at the wheel alone seemed to be at all aware of his surroundings; for the only other human being visible on the bobbing, careening craft was the Damsel in Distress, and she was completely occupied with her own thoughts, which seemed to be resentful and unpleasant. As bequeathed her position in the story she was young and beautiful; indeed, most fair to look upon; and as bequeathed the fortune that she filled also the role of daughter to the Pirate Chief she was caparisoned in the most costly garments. The Bright-Shining Hero had not yet appeared.

Suddenly and most unexpectedly a loud bang sounded under the port quarter. The craft staggered, and a crash astern announced the fact that she was hit.

"What is it, Simmins?" cried the Pirate Chief, suddenly aroused. "Are we damaged?"

"Blowout, sir," replied Simmins sadly, opening the door and descending to the hold.

He walked around to the rear of the car, and uttered an exclamation of dismay that had all the flavor of an oath.

"When she blew she slid into the rut and let us down pretty hard on one of these little stumps in the middle of the road," he answered Grimstead's inquiry. "The gasoline's leaking."

Gardiner joined the chauffeur. "It's buckled-in the tank," he announced briefly. "We're stuck."

"It's these d—d foreign cars," cried Grimstead, "they don't give 'em enough clearance. Why in blazes any sane man buys one of these expensive fool things and then deliberately goes off on a trip into timber gets me. And I'm the man! I'm crazy! First one thing, then another, one after the other!"

The Damsel continued to look straight before her with uninterested lack-luster eyes, but she opened her ruby lips in a filial but modern attempt to calm her parent.

"Now, dad," said she, "you're behaving like a spoiled child. You're the

only one who wanted to come."

"Get something and save the gasoline!" commanded Grimstead.

"There ain't anything; and the gasoline is all run out," replied Gardiner calmly.

"For heaven's sake! Are we stuck in this Godforsaken place?" howled Grimstead.

"I'm afraid we are, chief."

Grimstead upheaved from the tonneau and descended to see for himself. He examined the damage carefully for a moment; then straightened up. His surface irritation had evaporated in the face of a real situation; and the executive ability that had made him chief of the pirates came to the top.

"We're stuck, all right," he agreed, "and as far as I can remember we haven't passed another car on this road all day. How far is it to help?"

"Nearest garage is about twenty miles. They might have something at Dennison's Mills. That's about fifteen miles; but it's off the main road."

"And it's now four o'clock," said Grimstead, looking at his watch. He considered a moment. "Well, there's only one thing for it. We're stuck for the night. There's probably enough grub in the lunch basket to keep us from starving. We'll just get organized and eat; and then Simmins can start out and hike for help. You can do it in seven or eight hours."

"It'll be dark, sir," suggested Simmins.

"You can take the flashlight."

"I don't rightly know the road, sir."

"According to the map it's the only road."

"Yes, sir," said the chauffeur doubtfully.

"I'd like a better place to camp in. Just like that d—n foreign car to quit us in a place like this!"

"There's enough gas in the vacuum tank to take us a little way," suggested the chauffeur.

"By Jove, that's right!" cried Grimstead, whose spirits seemed to be ris-



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ing to the adventure. "You change that tire, and we'll scout ahead a little. Come on, Gardiner!"

"Perhaps Simmins may want a little help," suggested Gardiner.

"All right. Want to go, Burton?"

The Damsel had also descended from the car and was seated on a stump by the roadside, staring straight ahead of her. "No, thanks," she replied indifferently, "it's dusty."

Grimstead threw his coat into the tonneau and tramped off up the grade between the scattered trees, a square, sturdy, vigorous figure that soon disappeared.

Next to be considered is the Damsel in Distress. Her distress was heart-felt but, from one point of view, not too serious. It consisted in the fact that she had been ravished away against her will; which is the usual and proper reason for the distress of females aboard pirate craft. Her will was not accustomed to be gone against. At this moment it would have decreed that she be listening to the dulcet strains of Art Hickman's jazz or chestra at the St. Francis; or teeing—or teeing—at Pebble Beach; or mayhap bossing about one or more infatuated youths in any old haunt where sport clothes are correct and numerous. Instead of which she was here! Atop a stump! On a barren California hillside of high brush and an occasional tree! Stranded! Hot!! Uncomfortable!!! No wonder the lines of her figure were unbending; no marvel that her eyebrows were level and that the regard below them was—sullen? Out upon you? This damsel is young and beautiful. Smoldering is

the word. And why not, prithee? Must we repeat that her will was not accustomed to be gone against? Are your public appearances so few that you have not encountered these princesses taking their toll of the world's courtesies; passing the policeman across the traffic, with a ravishing smile; slipping in at the head of the wearily waiting queue, with so gracious a bend of the head; usurping the club tennis court on men's day with so charming an ignorance or ignoring of rules; taking as the divine right of sex when young and well-dressed? Surely! And getting away with it. And perhaps you are one person in ten thousand and a philosopher, so that you are sorry for these poor little ornamental, charming princesses; seeing what mankind is doing to them toward making them women first and human beings afterward,

instead of the reverse.

Such a philosopher would have seen in the figure of Burton Grimstead, sulking on a stump, a sacrifice to men's ideas of caste and sex and all the rest of it. Of the remainder of the ten thousand, the younger half would have sympathized heartily with Burton, by gad! dragged off into the sticks right in the middle of the Del Monte tournament; and the other half—us—would have muttered things about spoiled brats—first thing an indulgent father had ever asked her to do—can't give up a single one of her selfish pleasures, etc., etc.—and would have regretted that she was too old to be spanked.

And none of this would have affected Miss Burton in the least. When her father insisted, in face of her first careless refusal, that she join him on this trip into the backwoods, she was vastly surprised, but not greatly put out. Burton was fundamentally a sweet natured person. Only she couldn't make it out. He was always going off on these trips into the back of beyond; and he generally asked if she didn't want to go along. But she was by nature a civilized creature. Small country hotels did not appeal to her. After one experience she invariably declined, and the refusal was accepted. But this time Grimstead said he particularly wanted her to go; indeed, he was going to ask her to go. There was not much to be said after that! Not to the Pirate Chief! And then when at the last minute she found that this Gardiner person was to be in the party, she saw—and resented—it all. The Pirate Chief's diplomacy was Teutonic in its subtlety. Burton had met Gardiner before. She did not like him; and she did not care whether he was the Second in Command of the piratical craft, part keeper of the loot, principal deviser of stratagem, or not. From the moment Gardiner hove in sight, she resented the whole transparent affair bitterly. So you see there is something to be said for her, after all.

Of course that depends a good deal on how well you like the Second in Command. There would seem to be no reason why you should not like him. He is tall, slender, very dark, with regular movie-queen dark eyelashes, a sleepy well-bred supercilious expression on his thin long face. All his movements are languidly graceful. He is exceedingly well dressed. His ability is enormous. He knows all about electricity, and water power, and oil wells, and Diesel engines, and railroads, both theoretically and practically, for these things are come of the loot the Pirate Chief has captured. In addition he is exceedingly well informed on all the latest discoveries and inventions and theories of what makes our little world act as it does. Burton said she didn't like him because he played no bridge nor golf; but that was not it. She had other reasons—no, not reasons, instincts. Personally I think she was right; for I do not like him myself, although I am both old and a philosopher. But I am willing to extend him my sympathy as far as this particular expedition is concerned. He was not having a hilarious time; unless a worm is hilarious.

At the present moment he did not attempt to approach the aloof young goddess on the pedestal. Instead he gave needed assistance to the chauffeur, in spite of his elegant, almost feppish air. Gardiner took off his coat and worked as hard as Simmins; and when the job was finished, he was just as hot and dirty. There were qualities to the man, besides those necessary to boarding and scuttling.

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